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Raise the roof

Following 17 months of construction and $563M in renovations, the almost three-decade-old BC Place stadium is reborn Friday The venue, which boasts the world's largest cable-supported retractable roof, plays host to the B.C. Lions on Friday and the Vancouver Whitecaps FC on Sunday The renovated stadium features a giant high-definition scoreboard and new wider seats {page 4}
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▶ B.C. Lions quarterback Travis Lulay practises with his team under the new roof at BC Place Thursday afternoon.

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B.C. must explore own force: Tory leader

British Columbia has no choice but to undertake an exhaustive review on the feasibility of a provincial police force, B.C. Conservative leader John Cummins says.

The federal government has issued a November ultimatum to the province and has threatened to pull the RCMP out of B.C. by 2014 if a 20-year contract renewal isn't signed.

While the province insists its top priority is to renew its contract with the RCMP, Solicitor General Shirley Bond says negotiations are at a standstill over cost assurance and accountability.

She warned creating a provincial police force to replace the RCMP would be "very expensive."

But on Thursday Cummins said B.C. won't be left with much of a choice if bargaining can't be extended.

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Convict loses murder appeal

A B.C. man convicted of murder in an arson fire that killed five people in Vancouver has lost an appeal of his convictions.

Nathan Fry was given a mandatory term of life with no parole for 25 years after he was found guilty in 2008 of five counts of first-degree murder and one count of attempted murder.

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▶ Lisa Yellow-Quill of Battered Women's Support Services speaks at VPD headquarters Thursday about the seven additional charges levelled against convicted sex predator Martin Tremblay, inset.

Notorious sex offender facing seven more raps

Martin Tremblay has long criminal history of drug dealing and sexual assaults ◐ Young women contacted police after a public plea was issued

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Convicted sex predator Martin Tremblay, who police allege has terrorized young aboriginal women on the Downtown Eastside, is facing seven more sexual-assault charges.

The charges against Tremblay involve four young women between the ages of 14 and 19, and date back to 2005, Vancouver Police Insp. Brad Desmarais said Thursday.

Tremblay is facing three counts of sexual assault, two counts of administering a noxious substance and one count of obtaining sexual services for money from a person under 18.

Tremblay was arrested in Chilliwack on Tuesday as he was getting on a bus back to Vancouver after serving an 11-month sentence at the Ford Mountain Correctional Institution.

In February, Vancouver police took the unusual step of publicly naming Tremblay and urging victims to come forward.

The new charges were recommended after more young women came to police with new allegations, Desmarais said.

Lisa Yellow-Quill, of the Battered Women's Support Services, said she hopes this arrest will deliver a strong message to the public that violence against aboriginal women and girls is not acceptable.

"I want to acknowledge and say thank you to the young women who came forward and were so courageous to relive those moments to make sure that (the suspect) is held accountable for his actions," she said.

Desmarais said a total of 11 alleged victims have contacted police and they are continuing their investigation of outstanding cases. Police are expecting to lay more charges.

Tremblay is scheduled to appear in court on Monday.

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▶ The B.C. Lions practise at the newly renovated BC Place stadium Thursday.

B.C. Lions to reclaim den

Players in awe of multimillion-dollar BC Place stadium makeover Ready to beat the Edmonton Eskimos Friday and give fans another thing to cheer for

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The B.C. Lions are ready to reclaim BC Place stadium as their new home.

Thursday, the players set foot in the newly decked-out stadium for the first time. They can't wait to experience all the bells and whistles the $563-million makeover has to offer when they play against the Edmonton Eskimos Friday.

David Podmore, chair of PavCO, promises the public will be overwhelmed by the rebirth of the stadium.

"I think the public, when they see it (Friday), are going to be really taken aback with the quality of the building and the environment that we've been able to create here. It's bright and lively," he said Thursday. "I think most people will be standing staring up to the sky marvelling at what we've been able to do with the retractable roof structure."

"We've got to play 60 minutes and give the fans something to cheer about besides the stadium itself."
HALFBACK RYAN PHILLIPS

Coach Wally Buono said the new stadium had a very good first impression on the Lions.

"The guys love the field," he said. "The first thing they mentioned is how good the field felt and how fast it felt."

Halfback Ryan Phillips said the team is focused on continuing their five-game winning streak and forgetting about the added pressure of winning the first game on the stadium's opening.

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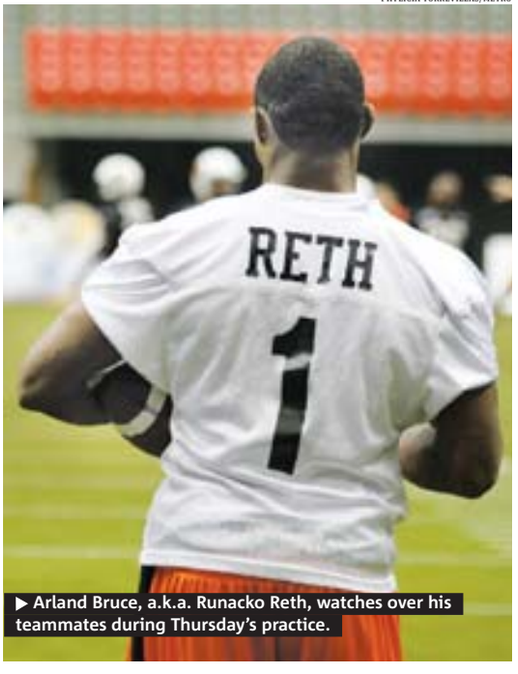

▶ Arland Bruce, a.k.a. Runacko Reth, watches over his teammates during Thursday's practice.

Timeline

- **April 1981:** Construction of BC Place begins.
- **June 19, 1983:** The facility opens its doors for the first time.
- **June 20, 1983:** First ever sporting event at the stadium is held as the Vancouver Whitecaps host the Seattle Sounders in NASL play.
- **Nov. 27, 1983:** BC Place hosts its first Grey Cup game. The Lions lose to the Toronto Argonauts.
- **Sept. 18, 1984:** Pope John Paul II attends "A Celebration of Life."
- **May 2, 1986:** Prince Charles and Princess Diana kick of Expo '86.
- **Nov. 27, 2004:** The B.C. Lions beat the Baltimore Stallions to win the Grey Cup at home.
- **Jan. 5, 2007:** The roof deflates after snow buildup causes a tear.
- **Feb. 12, 2010:** BC Place hosts the opening ceremony of the 2010 Winter Olympics.
- **Sept. 30, 2011:** A renovated BC Place reopens as B.C. Lions host Edmonton Eskimos.
- **Oct. 2, 2011:** Vancouver Whitecaps play their first MLS match at BC Place versus the Portland Timbers.

60 seconds

ANGUS REID

What's your first impression of the new stadium?
"I'm very impressed. I saw the initial roof inflated in 1983. I grew up going to the games here and I played eight years at this stadium. I can't believe it's the same place.

What do you like about it?
"This is the best turf this stadium has ever seen.… I can't believe the lighting. It's so bright in here, and the replay screen is something else."

Ready to see this place filled up?
"I'm excited to see this place full and to hear how loud it can get. I think that's when you're like, 'Wow, this is our new home.'"
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USA

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Air + 3 Nights
from $499 + taxes & fees $131

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San Francisco
Air + 3 Nights 5-Star from $569 + taxes & fees $126

INCLUDES Fairmont accom. **ADD** wine tour from $70.

Grand Canyon
Air + 4 Nights + Car from $699 + taxes & fees $132

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New Orleans
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Family Vacations

Anaheim Air + 3 Nights from $239◊ + taxes & fees $115

INCLUDES accom near theme parks. Price per person based on family of 4. **ADD** 3-day *Disneyland* Resort *Park Hopper* Bonus Ticket from $193/adult, $171/child (ages 3-9).

California Air + Car from $299◊ + taxes & fees $129

INCLUDES airfare into San Francisco, return from San Diego and 7-day economy car rental with unlimited mileage. Price per person based on family of 4.

San Diego Air + 3 Nights from $399◊ + taxes & fees $117

INCLUDES downtown accom near Balboa Park. **ADD** 1-day San Diego Zoo admission ticket from $46/adult, free for children up to 9 years. **UPGRADE** to 4-star accom from $18 per person.

Canada

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INCLUDES accom on the Inner Harbour. **ADD** whale watching from $93.

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INCLUDES cliffside accom near Liberia. **BONUS** buffet breakfast included. **ADD** canopy tour from $53.

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INCLUDES exclusive central accom. **ADD** dinner and tango show from $143.

Asia

Goa Air + 10 Nights from $1269 + taxes & fees $421

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Films to light up screens

The Vancouver International Film Festival is now underway **VIFF is celebrating its 30th anniversary**

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FIVE MOVIES TO SEE ON OPENING WEEKEND

A lot can change in 30 years.

For proof of that, look no further than the Vancouver International Film Festival.

The idea behind the showcase has always been the same: To give Vancouver film buffs a taste of fine cinema from around the world.

But the film festival that kicked off with Thursday's opening-gala presentation of Pedro Almodovar's The Skin I Live In is a far cry from the VIFF that opened 30 years ago.

"We've seen a lot of changes in that time," said festival director and CEO Alan Franey. "When we started, the festival took place in May and was only in the Ridge Theatre."

Today's VIFF features 16 days of cinema and is composed of more than 370 films from nearly 80 countries being screened at four venues.

Although the festival strives to be as broadly accessibly as possible, choosing which movies to see can be a challenge.

Metro has picked five of the highlights from the opening weekend to get readers into the full swing of things.

The Vancouver International Film Festival runs till Oct. 14.

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Take This Waltz (Canada)
The opening film for this year's Canadian Images is Sarah Polley's fresh look at long-term relationships. Michelle Williams stars as the comfortably married Margot whose life is thrown for a loop when her attraction to a neighbour makes her question her life with hubby Lou (played by Seth Rogan).
— Friday, 6:30 p.m., at Vogue Theatre

Circumstance (U.S.A., Iran, France)
The winner of a 2011 Sundance Audience Award, this Beirut-shot, U.S.-produced film portrays the life of two teenage girls in Tehran. They fall in love with each other and all the trappings of a seemingly unrestrained western lifestyle, but are forced to deal with the realities of homophobia and Islamic repression.
— Friday, 9:15 p.m., at Vogue Theatre
— Sunday, 1:15 p.m., at Vogue Theatre

The Front Line (South Korea)
This Korean War flick, coming off the 60th anniversary of the conflict last year, took South Korea's box office by storm and earned a nod as the country's nominee for best foreign film at the Oscars. Shin Ha-gyun stars as an officer investigating reports of spying and friendly fire in the midst of fierce fighting.
— Friday, 10:30 a.m., at Empire Granville 7 Cinemas
— Saturday, 3:45 p.m., at Empire Granville 7 Cinemas

Surviving Progress (Canada)
Are humans too intelligent for their own good, and that of Earth's? This documentary, based on Ronald Wright's bestselling book A Short History of Progress, probes that question by looking at how we differ from the rest of the animal world and how we've reached a point where our activity has changed the planet we call home.
— Friday, 6:30 p.m., at Empire Granville 7 Cinemas
— Sunday, 4:15 p.m., at Vogue Theatre

Kill List (U.K.)
Organizers promise this disturbing tale of crime and post-traumatic stress will leave audiences as shell-shocked as the film's main character, a damaged war veteran turned contracted killer. Ben Wheatley uses brutality throughout to prove a point about an English society still dealing with the fallout from the Iraq War and the recession.
— Friday, 4:20 p.m., at Empire Granville 7 Cinemas
— Saturday, 11:30 p.m., at Empire Granville 7 Cinemas

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The race against breast cancer

Run for the Cure Vancouver hopes to exceed 9,000 runners on Sunday Registration open till run begins

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The Run for the Cure takes off from Concord Pacific Place on Sunday morning.

"It's a real phenomenal event," said Gillian Behnke, marketing manager of Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation, which celebrates its 25th anniversary this year.

"We're running for a future without breast cancer."

Last year, participants across Canada raised $33 million for breast-cancer research, of which Vancouver contributed $1.7 million from 9,000 runners.

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▶ Last year, Vancouverites raised $1.7 million.

Funds raised by Run for the Cure B.C. stay in the province and are used for initiatives in breast-cancer prevention, early detection and treatment.

Behnke said the event is emotional and engaging as participants can dedicate their run to a friend or family member by writing their name and a message on a race bib or on the wall of hope located on site.

"I know people who have cried all through the run," she said. "When you see them it really reminds us why we're doing this."

Registration for the five-kilometre run and one-kilometre walk is available online and will be open until the run starts at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday.

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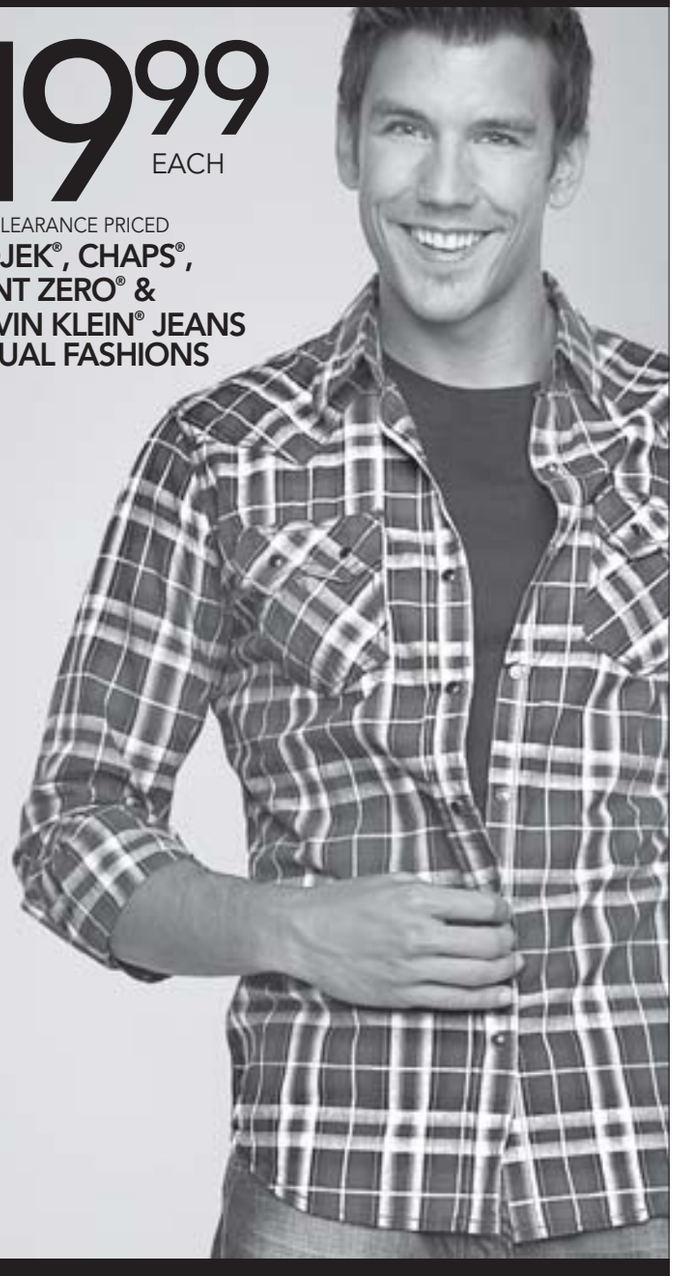

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Celebrate Culture Days with CBC

The New Pornographers are on the lineup for CBC's Kick Off To Culture Days on Friday

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The feel-good lyrics of Johnny Reid's hit single Let's Go Higher will open CBC Vancouver's Kick Off To Culture Days Friday morning on Hamilton Street between Robson and Georgia streets.

The Kick Off To Culture Days is an outdoor festival that celebrates arts and culture with performances and meet-and-greet sessions with CBC personalities such as George Stroumboulopoulos.

At 8 p.m., a free concert hosted by Jian Ghomeshi will showcase popular bands Stars, The New Pornographers and The Midway State.

"Vancouver is a great venue for embracing culture," said Reid. "I am a living example of how multicultural Canada is."

Reid moved to Canada from Scotland at 13 and, as reigning Canadian Country Music Award Artist of the Year, he is grateful for the many opportunities Canada has provided him.

"The event is going to be live-streamed across to Newfoundland and it's an amazing opportunity to say thank you to those across Canada," Reid said.

CBC Morning Show host Suhana Meharchand is excited to be a part of the nationwide cultural celebration.

"That's what we do at CBC, is connect people from coast to coast," said Meharchand.

On Saturday, Culture Days begins across the country to celebrate CBC's 75th anniversary with 32 stations participating in the open-house event.

Guests are invited to get a behind-the-scenes look into news production, try out their newscasting skills and meet local news teams.

CHELSEA ALTICE/FOR METRO

▶ Suhana Meharchand and Johnny Reid share a cuddle after the sound check Thursday for CBC Live: A Kick Off To Culture Days, which begins Friday.

ARIANA KAKNEVICIUS/FOR METRO

▶ Barbora, located at Thornton Park, by Lithuanian sculptor Vladas Vildziunas is one of the sculptures cyclists can stop and see during this year's Bikennale on Sunday.

Bike through outdoor art

Cyclists will gear up for a ride around Vancouver's outdoor sculptures this weekend, while taking in the art and culture of the city.

The third annual Bikennale takes place on Sunday and is the last opportunity to take a glance at some of the open-air sculptures spread out around the west end as part of the 2009-11 Vancouver Biennale.

Free to participate, and open to all ages, the Bikennale is a self-guided 5-kilometre ride from Sunset Beach Park to Coal Harbour.

"It's all about inclusivity and accessibility," said Barrie Mowatt, founder and president of the Vancouver Biennale. "We want to give open access to art that is normally found inside a museum."

Each rider will be given a map of the sculptures' locations, and there will be an interpreter at each one to explain more about the piece.

That same day, the Tour De Biennale is taking place for more serious cyclists.

Tour De Biennale is an 85-kilometre ride from West Vancouver to Richmond and tours the perimeter of the sculpture installations.

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CNN Hero speaks at award show

Top-10 CNN Hero Narayanan Krishnan, who has provided 1.2 million hot meals to homeless people in India, will be the evening's keynote speaker at Darpan Magazine's Extraordinary Achievement Awards Friday in Surrey.

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▶ Narayanan Krishnan

Protester slapped with assault charges

Assault charges have been laid against a protester who allegedly choked a Vancouver Club staff member on Monday. The incident occurred during a protest over former U.S. vice-president Dick Cheney's visit to a local book club event.

Charged with one count of assault, 51-year-old Vancouver resident Darren Grant Pearson, is scheduled to appear in court on Oct. 12.

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PM defends MacKay's Challenger flights

Harper says defence minister's use of jets justified because intent was to meet with families of fallen soldiers Liberals consider launching complaint after ethics commissioner says rules may have been broken

Prime Minister Stephen Harper has stood up for his embattled defence minister.

Peter MacKay was under fire once again yesterday in the House of Commons over his use of Challenger VIP jets, racking up as much as $3 million in flights since he was appointed in 2007.

He's been criticized over the last couple of weeks for his use of a search-and-rescue helicopter to pick him up at a Newfoundland fishing lodge following a vacation.

New Democrats say the high-flying minister should have his wings clipped.

Harper, who had been silent about the controversy, said MacKay has used the jet 70 per cent less than his Liberal predecessors and "half the time he does that for repatriation ceremonies" in Trenton for fallen soldiers.

"When will the prime minister tell his cabinet that ethics rules apply to them too? When will he crack down on this out-of-control, jet-setting Conservative lifestyle?"
JACK HARRIS, NDP DEFENCE CRITIC

"He goes there to show that we understand their sacrifice, we share their pain and we care about them and that's why the minister of Defence is so highly regarded," Harper told the House of Commons during question period.

But NDP defence critic Jack Harris scoffed at the explanation and said MacKay used the jet to attend government announcements, rather than flying commercial as other cabinet ministers do.

Meanwhile, the ethics commissioner told a parliamentary committee yesterday that MacKay could be in contravention of MPs' conflict-of-interest code because of where he spent his vacation.

The Newfoundland trip was partly spent at a fishing camp owned by the chairman of a Crown corporation.

Under questioning from the Liberals, Mary Dawson told an all-party committee some rules may have been broken.

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▶ Defence Minister Peter MacKay leaves the House of Commons after speaking with the media on Parliament Hill yesterday.

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Woman: Victim wanted to die

Police won't say what led them to suspect in murder of 74-year-old

A woman was accused of running over a bound man who she said promised her $180,000 if she ended his life, but police said they have no evidence he wanted to die.

Francis Nelson, 74, was found dead, his hands and feet still tied, near his abandoned car on a rural road in upstate New York on Tuesday morning.

Jennifer Riesel, a 28-year-old woman who met Nelson through a social club in their hometown of Little Falls, was charged with his murder yesterday.

Trooper Jack Keller said Riesel told investigators that Nelson had asked her to kill him, saying she'd get $180,000 after his death.

"We're still not sure how that arrangement was going to be made," Keller said. "But that was ultimate deal."

Investigators believe Nelson was killed sometime early Tuesday. Relatives said he was last seen at 7 p.m. Monday. Keller said Riesel ran him over with a car borrowed from a friend.

Riesel was jailed Thursday without bail on a second-degree murder charge. Officials didn't know if she had a lawyer. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Murder mystery

- Trooper Jack Keller said there was no evidence Nelson suffered from a serious or terminal illness and nothing indicating he was despondent. He said no money ever changed hands, Nelson's bank accounts were in order and there was no sign of thievery.

Mexico. National Corn Day

▶ Mexican artist Brama Santos performs at an event marking National Corn Day in Mexico City Thursday.

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Mexicans call for greener grains

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Deadly storm goes easy on China

Typhoon Nesat does minimal damage Hong Kong sees wild weather but not directly hit

A powerful typhoon that forced hundreds of thousands of people from their homes on an island in southern China appeared to have caused little damage Friday and was sweeping away from the country toward Vietnam.

Typhoon Nesat was expected to make landfall in Vietnam late Friday or early Saturday, after flooding streets on China's Hainan island on Thursday. Hainan authorities had plenty of time to prepare for the storm as it churned across the South China Sea from the Philippines, where it killed at least 43 people and left 30 missing earlier in the week.

Authorities evacuated 300,000 people, cancelled flights, closed schools, suspended ferry services and recalled fishing boats as the storm approached, and the preparations appeared to have paid off with little damage reported on the island. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Cities shut down

- Flood-control officials said nearly 58,000 people were evacuated from low-lying areas in eastern Wenchang city and 67 flights were cancelled at the island's two airports, Xinhua said.
- Hainan authorities closed schools, suspended ferry services and recalled fishing boats as the storm made its way across the South China Sea from the Philippines, where it killed 35 people and left another 45 missing.

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People brave strong winds and rain on a street as a typhoon hits Haikou in south China's Hainan province on Thursday.

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China achieves space landmark

FINAL FRONTIER. China launched an experimental module to lay the groundwork for a future space station on Thursday, underscoring its ambitions to become a major space power over the coming decade.

The box car-sized Tiangong-1 module was shot into space from the Jiuquan launch centre on the edge of the Gobi Desert aboard a Long March 2FT1 rocket.

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Climate change to cost billions: Study

ENVIRONMENTAL FORECAST. Climate change will cost Canada and its people about $5 billion a year by 2020, a groundbreaking analysis for the federal government warns.

Costs will continue to climb steeply, to between $21 billion and $43 billion a year by the 2050s, the analysis says.

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Chile to pay quake victim's family

RESTITUTION. A judge says Chile must pay about $20,000 to the family of a taxi driver killed in last year's earthquake after the government mistakenly said there would be no tsunami. Luis Soto Repiso was among those who ventured outside with a false sense of security. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

A hand for fauna, flora

- Hundreds of animals and plants advance toward protections in U.S.
- Comes amid backlash in Congress against endangered-species program

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▶ Among the animals and plants on the Obama administration's radar are, from left, the Casey's June beetle, the Pagosa skyrocket plant and the Texas kangaroo rat.

The Obama administration is taking steps to extend new federal protections to a list of imperiled animals and plants that reads like a manifest for Noah's Ark — from the melodic golden-winged warbler and slow-moving gopher tortoise, to the slimy American eel and tiny Texas kangaroo rat.

Compelled by a pair of recent legal settlements, the effort in part targets species that have been mired in bureaucratic limbo even as they inch toward potential extinction.

With a Friday deadline to act on more than 700 pending cases, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service already has issued decisions advancing more than 500 species toward potential new protections under the Endangered Species Act.

Observers said the agency's actions mark a breakthrough for a program long criticized by conservatives and liberals alike as cumbersome and slow.

"Here at a single glance, you see the sweep of the Endangered Species Act," said Patrick Parenteau, an environmental law professor at the University of Vermont. "They are moving through this large backlog at a fairly crisp clip now. This is the largest number of listing actions we've seen in a very long time, in decades."

Also among species that advanced for further consideration are 35 snails from Nevada's Great Basin, 82 crawfish from the Southeast, 99 Hawaiian plants and a motley cast of butterflies, birds, fish, beetles, frogs, lizards, mussels and more from every corner of the country.

Some have languished for decades on a "candidate list" of species the government says warrant protection but that it lacks the resources to help..

The flurry of recent action could help revive Obama's standing among wildlife advocates upset over the administration's support for taking grey wolves off the endangered list in the Northern Rockies and Upper Great Lakes, among other issues.

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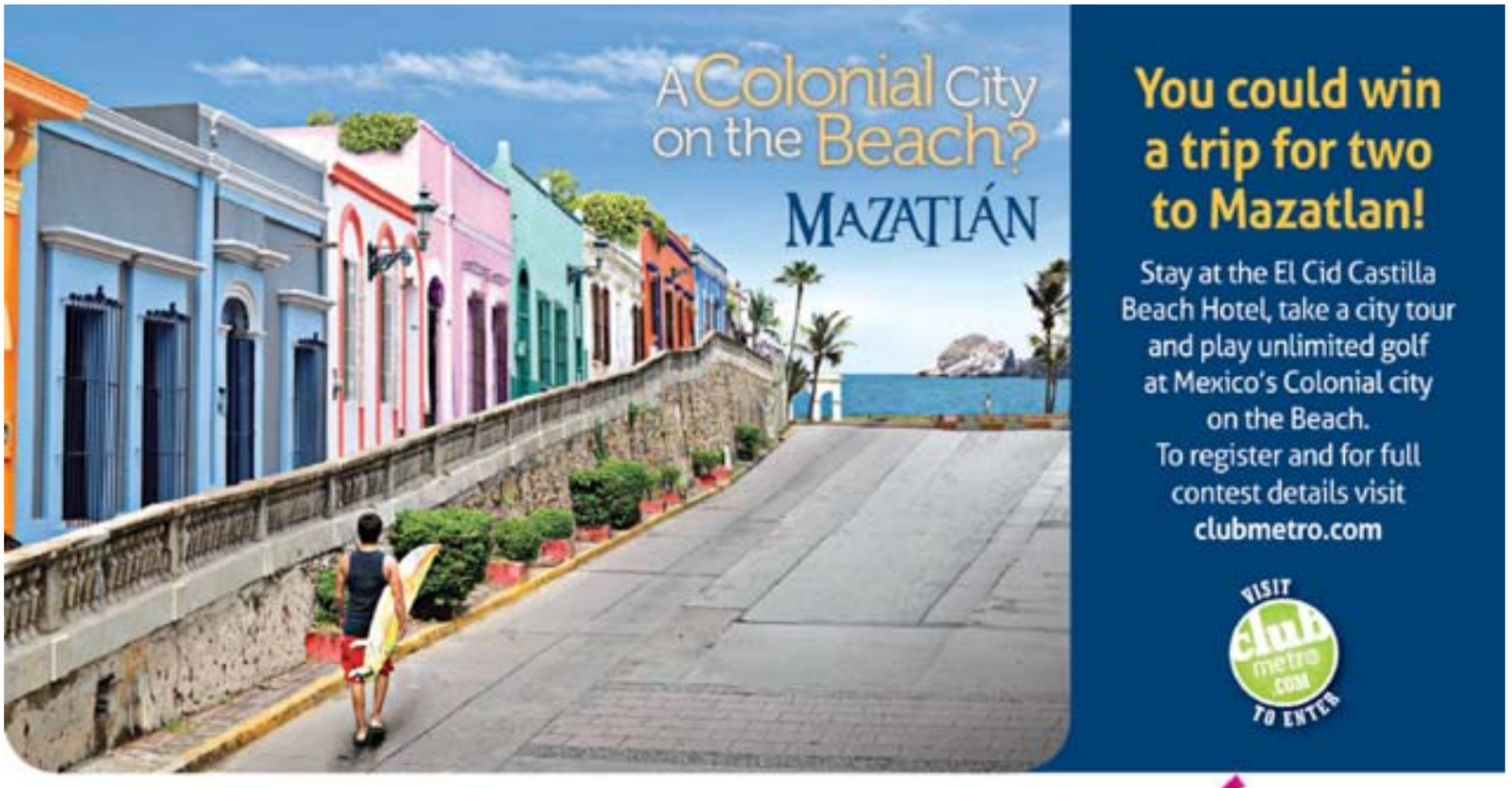
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Stars woo fans via facebook games

Social media the new way to interact with fans: Iglesias
Cityville boasts 71 million users

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▶ This screen shot provided by Zynga shows the Facebook game CityVille. Starting next Tuesday, CityVille players on Facebook will be able to interact with Enrique Iglesias's character when he visits their cities.

Pop stars are lining up to make their debut in Facebook games from online game maker Zynga.

First came Dr. Dre and Lady Gaga. Next week, an avatar of singer Enrique Iglesias will join CityVille, Zynga's most popular title.

Starting Tuesday, CityVille players on Facebook will be able to interact with Iglesias's character when he visits their cities. They can collect items the singer is known for and watch previews of his latest music video.

Zynga declined to give financial terms of the deal or say whether it plans more celebrity integrations, citing the fact that it is in a typical "quiet period" before its planned initial public offering. The San Francisco-based company filed registration papers in July for an IPO, and it's expected to make its public debut this fall.

Iglesias said his team approached Zynga with the idea for a game integration. Users can collect virtual hats, boots, bling and a speed boat — representing the time Iglesias lived in Miami and owned one. "I thought the fans would get a kick out of it," he said.

CityVille, which is available on Facebook and the fledgling Google Plus, lets players build up and run virtual cities complete with farms, buildings and other infrastructure.

The game is free to play; Zynga makes money by charging for virtual items players use to decorate their cities. The Iglesias tie-in will be available only on the Facebook version.

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Original programming

- Warner Bros. will launch a web series on Facebook Oct. 18.
- The show, Aim High, is an action comedy about a student who doubles as a government operative.
- Viewers will be able to integrate their Facebook profile into background elements of the series.

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Canadians wary of job market

The Conference Board of Canada says its index of consumer confidence increased only slightly in September as Canadians began to worry more about job growth.

The think-tank said Thursday its consumer confidence index rose 0.3 of a point in September to 75, narrowly avoiding a fifth consecutive monthly decline.

Economists have warned in recent weeks that the global economic outlook is not good and that government debt problems in Europe and the U.S. could trigger another recession, undercutting employment.

The survey found that attitudes towards the job market have deteriorated. Only 14.8 per cent said they expect there will be more jobs in the next six months, a drop of 1.4 percentage points.

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Privacy on Facebook challenged in U.S. again

Nine privacy groups have sent a joint letter to the U.S. Federal Trade Commission saying it should investigate the ways Facebook collects data about users' online activity after recent changes to its site.

The Electronic Privacy Information Center, the American Civil Liberties Union and other groups sent the letter to the FTC Wednesday.

The groups say changes Facebook made last week give it far greater ability to disclose users' personal information to businesses.

Facebook users can now consent just once and have applications continuously sharing on Facebook the music they are listening to or the articles they are reading.

Facebook says that change gives users control over what apps they use and what information is shared.

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1 Shirtless Ron MacLean?: Circulating this week is one of the more random photos ever: A shirtless Hockey Night in Canada host Ron MacLean is seen in a bar, wearing white pants and air-guitaring while holding a beer. Now people are split as to whether this photo was Photoshopped or not. Let's see Don Cherry's shirtless beer-air-guitar moves!

2 Rathika Sitsabaiesan cleavage: Still with Photoshop, Ontario NDP MP Rathika Sitsabaiesan attracted international attention this week when it was revealed on the website Contrarian.ca that her (by no means risqué amount of) cleavage was Photoshopped out of an image that appears on her page on the Parliament of Canada website. Wow, talk about political correctness.

3 BC Place reno: The $563-million reno'ed retractable BC Place stadium in Vancouver is by all accounts stupendous, right down to the transparent facade that runs the circumference of the stadium and allows spectators to take in mountain vistas. It opens Friday when the B.C. Lions take on the Edmonton Eskimos.

4 The Leap: Calgary's Chris Turner, author of the 2007 national bestseller The Geography of Hope, has a new book out this week. It's called The Leap: How to Survive and Thrive in the Sustainable Economy. It covers German green energy, Danish urban design genius, Toledo solar panels and so much more.

5 The Onion in T.O.: The brilliant news parody empire that reports wryly hilarious fake news now has a local edition in Toronto, where it's available free in newspaper boxes starting this week. Nothing in this item was made up.

6 YouTube TV shows: YouTube really is vying to be your new TV set. Word is the video giant is finalizing contracts with a bunch of "channels" to feature regularly scheduled programs on themes like sports, entertainment and fashion by 2012. My grandchildren someday will be like, "What's that flatscreen in your man-cave for, grandpa?"

7 Queen: Queen's Roger Taylor is creating a live touring show to begin next year that will pay tribute to the band. He's launched a talent search to find people to star in the show. One of the audition tapes makes it seem as if Freddie Mercury has risen from the grave.

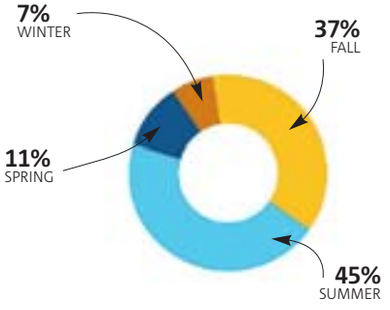
8 Emotional bag check: If you're looking for somewhere to unload your emotions, a new site called EmotionalBagCheck.com might come to your emotional rescue. You can vent there, and some kind stranger will suggest a pick-me-up song in reply so as to get you going again. And everything will be all right. Well, for five minutes at least — the time it takes to play, say, Coldplay's Fix You (it's the No. 3 recommended song).

9 Message in a Bottle: Since 1996, P.E.I.'s Harold Hackett has sent out more than 4,800 messages in a bottle. Dude's hobby has an amazing batting average, as he's received more than 3,100 responses from all over the world. So if your Internet's ever down and you're jonesing for social media, just go old school and use this method of reaching out.

Follow Neil Morton on Twitter (@neilmorton).

Register at metropolitanpanel.ca and take the quick poll

It's a showdown of the seasons, which is your favourite?



Local tweets

- **@youngfollowil:** The Kings are back in business. Business is good. Really good. Vancouver got me all warm and fuzzy.
- **@HarshaWalia:** Top court to rule Friday on Vancouver's supervised injection site bit.ly/pnAylS / They better keep #Insite open
- **@evolution1079:** Sweet Lord...Vancouver is getting a LFL team (Lingerie Football League). Today is a good day....a very good day. - Shane
- **@cmaconthehill:** @nathancullen to make important announcement tomorrow in Vancouver. He said he'd tell us his leadership decision by the end of the month.
- **@tomhawthorn:** A friend points out that our beloved #Expos are now unbeaten since 2004.
- **@NicholasSimons:** Man charged: threw banana at Flyer's W. Simmonds, who made homophobic slurs at Ranger's S.Avery, who made misogynist comments about ex. #nhl
- **@VanCanucks:** Happy Birthday, Jordan Schroeder! #Canucks

Letters

I'm sorry to say that while reading your Sept. 29 issue, I was shocked to find an example of cultural insensitivity.

I'm not referring to any of the articles, but rather to your Metropolitan Panel feature. In the poll shown, you asked your readers, and I quote, "Should obese women be denied fertility treatment?" Are you not aware how blatantly offensive that question is? If it isn't so obvious, consider a similar question: "Should gay women be denied fertility treatment?" Or what about "Should East-Asian women be denied fertility treatment?" On what basis do you justify such discrimination? What right have you to decide who gets fertility treatment and who does not? You have no such right. Any person's decision to seek fertility treatment should be left to them and them alone.

Any potential health problems that may arise during pregnancy as a result of conditions associated with obesity are also none of your business. The only people who ought to be involved are the person and their supervising physician.

JEFFREY KOMAR
HALIFAX

Swinging. It

▶ A traveller youth plays on a rope at Dale Farm travellers camp Thursday near Basildon, England.

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Photo of the day

Traveller residents — traditional nomadic people — on the illegal Dale Farm settlement are at The High Court in London to hear if a judicial review of their eviction can take place.

WEIRD NEWS

Ol' Two-Face

Frank and Louie the cat was born with two faces, two mouths, two noses, three eyes — and lots of doubts about his future.

Now, 12 years after Marty Stevens rescued him from being put to sleep because of his condition, the exotic blue-eyed rag doll cat is not only thriving but has made it into the 2012 Guinness Book of World Records as the longest-surviving member of a group known as Janus cats, named for a Roman god with two faces.

He is "very, very laid back, not afraid of people, very friendly and he's actually more of a dog than a cat," Stevens said, adding, "It's funny because people walk up to him thinking it's a nice, fluffy white cat and they're walking up with a big smile on their face to pat him, like, 'Oh, what a beautiful cat' and I see a look of horror come over their faces when they actually see his face." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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▶ This cat continues to defy the odds.

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Synopsis

- Anna Faris is Ally, a young Bostonian with a bad relationship track record. Weeks before her sister is to wed she reads an article that suggests the number of sex partners a woman has had will predict her romantic success later in life. More than 20, it says, and you have virtually no hope of settling down. She realizes she's in the danger zone. To not go over 20 she revisits all her ex-boyfriends in hopes of finding a husband.
- **Ratings:**
  Richard: ⊕⊕⊕
  Mark: ⊕⊕½

▶ Anna Faris, centre, is searching for lasting love in What's Your Number.

Reel Guys

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It's all in the numbers

Anna Faris shines as the lead in What's Your Number? despite a lacklustre raunch-com script ◐ Movie's attitudes about sex a little dated for 2011

Richard: Mark, I'm not going to suggest What's Your Number? is a great, or even good movie. It has a typical rom-com plot gussied up with some Judd Apatow style barbs and some gratuitous shots of its almost naked star but it also has Anna Faris, and for me that's enough. She has crack comic timing and an unpredictable way with a line that takes a Kathryn Heigl level script and turns it into something watchable. What did you think?

Mark: Without Anna Faris, this movie would have gone directly to the DVD bin. She's so good I was able to sit through the movie and actually laugh a few times. But I resent the movie for wanting it both ways: on the surface it seems like a raunch-com but underneath beats the heart of the typical story of a young woman who just wants to get married and settle down. And by the way, since when did bedding 20 guys in your entire life make anyone a slut? Maybe if they were all at once...

RC: Ha! Spoken like someone who has the updated edition of The Joy of Sex handy. It's a strange movie that uses both the standard old cellphone switcheroo plot device *and* rape jokes. It doesn't have the laughs of an Apatow movie or the heart... but once again, I'll say it, it has Anna Faris.

MB: It also has Chris Evans, in a stock role that only his agent could love. But I did feel there was some genuine chemistry between him and Ms. Faris, especially in the scenes where they get hot 'n' sweaty. Romantic comedies like this one usually have a number of well acted, well written secondary characters, but they were completely absent from this picture, unless you count Andy Samberg's great and ridiculous cameo.

RC: A love scene with a puppet and Andy Samberg is just one of the things — did I mention Anna Faris? — that make this movie almost special. There are just enough funny scenes (and shots of Evans's abs) to almost make this an in-the-pocket rom com, but then the good stuff is followed by long stretches of by-the-book writing. It's a shame to see this kind of potential wasted.

MB: I also resented the dated sexual politics of the movie. The male lead can sleep with as many partners as he likes and he's a rake. If a woman like Faris tries the same thing, she's a slut. This is old-school thinking, and shame on the movie for buying into it, and not challenging it.

2 scene

Scene in brief

David Beckham says his new baby girl is nothing like his three sons. The 36-year-old soccer star says three-month old Harper Seven is already sleeping through the night and is "a lot calmer" than his boys were at that age. Harper's three brothers are also on dad's side when it comes to her eventual dating life. Beckham says he plans to be "overprotective in every way possible."
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Bobby Brown plays himself in indie movie launched at Montreal Black film festival.

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▶ Hugh Jackman says that he was a fearful child.

Hugh not always steely

Hugh Jackman, star of Real Steel, says he was a dunce at drama school

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Hugh Jackman must be the envy of his drama school's graduating class. Between the opening of Real Steel this weekend and the end of 2013 he'll star in six films ranging from The Wolverine's high octane action and the high notes of Les Misérables to the high comedy of Movie 43.

It seems apt that he'll also soon be starring in The Greatest Showman on Earth because he can do it all — in between action movies he can out-sing-and-dance anyone on the circuit — but it wasn't always that way.

"When I started acting I was the dunce of the class," he says.

Success in school, he says, came because of his work ethic, a trait he picked up from his father.

"He never took one day off in his life," he says. "Now, he had five kids he was bringing up on his own. If anyone deserved a day off it was my old man, but he never did. I learned that from him.

"There's always that feeling of, 'I have to work harder than everybody else. I'm not born Phillip Seymour Hoffman. I've got to just work harder and I'm prepared to do it."

Being the youngest of five children also contributed to his outlook. "I always wanted to do stuff and not be left out," he says, but adds, "I was quite a fearful kid, which I hated.

"I've always had a fear of fear. It's a weird to think back now but drama school, it is a pressure kind of situation. People get kicked out of drama school. You are constantly being judged on how you are doing, are you progressing, are you not.

"Almost everyday you had to get up and do a monologue. Sing a song. Do it in front of everybody.

"I noticed I was always first. I never wanted to sit there waiting.

"I'm not saying that out of courage. It was too uncomfortable to sit, stewing. I don't think I've told anyone else that."

Later, fear of unemployment pushed him to expand his talents.

"When I came out of drama school I was like, 'I'm going to do anything I can just to keep working.' In drama school you do Shakespeare to movement to circus skills to singing all in one morning. I know a lot of people hated it but I reveled in it. I loved it. It's weird how it evolved."

Taking on Sugar Ray

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For Real Steel, boxing legend Sugar Ray Leonard was tasked with both choreographing robot-on-robot boxing matches and training Hugh Jackman to play a convincing trainer and former boxer.

But we thought he could use a real challenge: critiquing my boxing abilities.

Sugar Ray Leonard: What's your best punch?
Ned Ehrbar: Um...

Stand your regular way. OK, OK. Now jab. [Ned punches.] That's your right hand. You're supposed to jab with your left.
Oh, right. [Ned punches with his left hand].

SRL: When I say jab, I don't want you to do this. [punches slowly] If you did that to me, I'd see it coming a mile away. I had time to go to the bathroom before that punch lands. It's like this. [Sugar Ray throws a quick succession of jabs.] Speed is relaxing. Speed is like... [Sugar Ray hits Ned in the gut three times.]

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The drama of politics

Film veteran Jeffrey Wright brings his inside knowledge of Washington to Ides of March

Finds perks of politics alluring

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George Clooney directs and stars in Ides of March.

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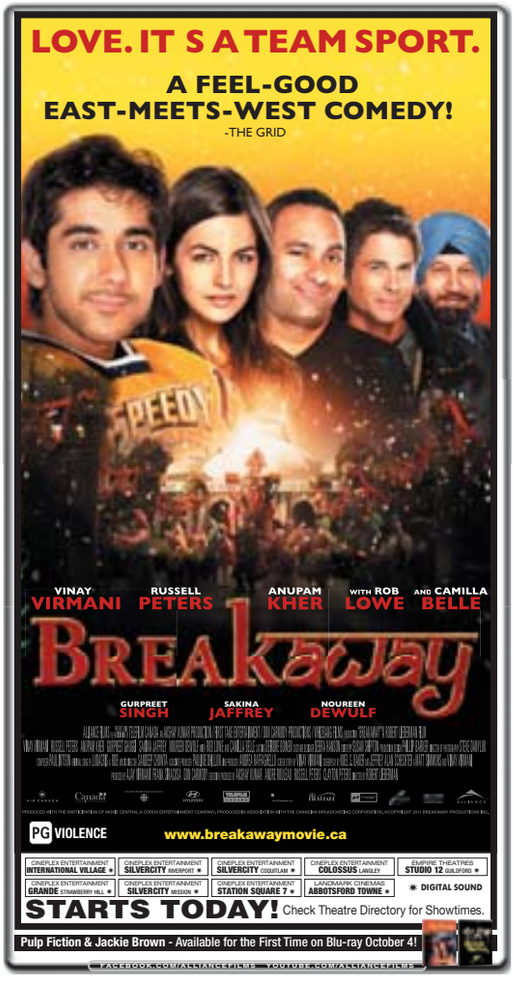
For Ides of March, his political drama about a fictional Democratic presidential primary race, director and star George Clooney put together a stellar cast. And when it came to casting the role of Sen. Thompson, a primary rival of Gov. Morris (Clooney) whose endorsement could mean a nomination-clinching collection of delegates, Clooney knew just who to go to: film and stage veteran Jeffrey Wright. A Washington, D.C., native, Wright relished tackling the more corrupt side of politics shown in the film. But he won't squeal when it comes to what real-life politicians he based his character on.

Your character provides a very particular commentary on politics.

Yeah, you know, I imagine the character could be perceived as having the best interests of his constituency at heart, but I read the script with just a touch of healthy cynicism, and I perceived him to be pretty much an egoist and an opportunist, which I have to say I have witnessed in some of the players down in Washington in my experiences down there — not all. There's a dynamic at work there among not only the politicians but among those who surround them, a desire to be out front, to be in a position of authority — or at least in close proximity to power — that overshadows too often, I think, the desire to do good work.

It's hard not to be at least a little cynical about politics, especially considering current events.

Yeah. Sure, sure. I mean, at the end of the day you see folks just losing sight of what the point is. The point is to lead the country in the best way forward for as many people as possible. But it's so alluring. It must be just incredibly seductive and alluring, the lifestyle and the influence and the access and the perks.



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Breakaway
Genre: Comedy
Director: Rob Lieberman
Stars: Vinay Virmani, Rob Lowe
◍◍◍
A harmless story about a young Indo-Canadian striving against his immigrant family's ideals to become a pro hockey player, Breakaway is an impressive first feature for writer and star Vinay Virmani. Not only does he land a likeable international cast including Rob Lowe and funnyman Russell Peters, but he and director Rob Lieberman mostly keep it light-hearted with broad gags and a Bollywood musical number to maintain a fun pace. STEVE GOW

50/50
Genre: Comedy
Director: Jonathan Levine
Stars: Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Seth Rogen, Anna Kendrick
◍◍◍½
Cancer is no laughing matter, everyone knows that. But 50/50, the story of Adam (Joseph Gordon-Levitt) a clean living guy diagnosed with a rare form of cancer, breaks taboos left and right. Luckily it's tempered with great performances, a smart script and real emotion. There's not a false moment thanks to a script written by Will Reiser, the real-life inspiration for the story. Reiser — along with actors Gordon-Levitt, Anna Kendrick and Seth Rogen — find just the right balance between mortality, romance and cancer jokes in a script that will have you laughing and crying at the same time.
RICHARD CROUSE

Restless
Genre: Drama
Director: Gus Van Sant
Stars: Mia Wasikowska, Henry Hopper, Ryo Kase
◍◍◍½
Gus Van Sant's latest ode to youth takes a decidedly somber turn, chronicling the love between troubled teen Enoch and terminally ill Annabel (Mia Wasikowska) who meet at a memorial service. The film is definitely moving — though with subject matter like this it would take a pretty artless hand to make it anything but — and Wasikowska (The Kids are All Right) turns in yet another sweet and nuanced performance.
NED EHRBAR

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When the ancient Mayans made the first coffee from coffee beans, they had no idea what they started. The universal wake-up beverage is now enjoyed by millions worldwide, from Argentinian gauchos to New York stockbrokers to British royalty.

And on Sunday, Oct. 2 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Vancouverites will have their turn to celebrate the joy and art of coffee at That Barista Thing!, the International Latte Art Competition, held at the main branch of the Vancouver Public Library downtown. Visitors can watch virtuoso latte art demonstrations, and Blenz Coffee will be distributing free lattes and coffees, and free hot chocolate for kids.

The free public event, now in its third year, will pit top local and international baristas against each other in a decorative-milk-foam battle of epic proportions.

Baristas will compete head-to-head in two categories: Free Pour Latte Art and Etching Latte Art. The top prizes are $2,501 and $1,000, respectively, so the competition is expected to be fierce and the lattes stunning.

Free gourmet drinks and latte art won't be the only attraction, however. Visitors can attend workshops to learn how to create etching latte art themselves. There will also be an espresso cup painting booth where participants are asked to donate $5 for the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

The festivities also celebrate the flavours and traditions of tea with tea leaf readings by Vancouver clairvoyant Maxine Friend and a live art performance by Jack Wu.

Tea ceremony demonstrations will give visitors a glimpse into the rituals behind tea drinking. The matcha green tea ceremony, for example, is a Japanese tradition rooted in Zen Buddhism. The tea preparation involves mixing hot water and matcha tea leaf powder in a special tea bowl and using a bamboo whisk to whip the mixture together.

The traditional Chinese oolong tea ceremony, on the other hand, will show visitors how to brew oolong tea leaves in hot water using multiple steeps.

Whether visitors take in the peace of the tea ceremonies or cheer on the battling latte artists, That Barista Thing! will be steeped in entertainment.

For more info, visit: THATBARISTATHING.COM

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Mausam (STC) Fri-Thu 1:05-5-9
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Yaara O Dildaara (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-4:05-7:20-10:35

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Contagion (PG) Fri 9:10 Sat-Sun 2:15-9:10 Mon-Thu 9:10
The Debt (14A) Fri-Thu 4:45-7:30
Dolphin Tale (STC) No Passes Fri 4:30-6:45-8:55 No Passes Sat-Sun 2:15-4:30-4:30-6:45-8:55 No Passes Mon-Thu 4:30-6:45-8:55

SILVERCITY METROPOLIS
4700 Kingsway Ave., 604-435-7474

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Captain America: The First Avenger (PG) Fri-Sat 4:15-9:55 Sun-Thu 7:05
Crazy, Stupid, Love. (PG) Fri 4:20-7:05-9:50 Sat 1:35-4:20-7:05-9:50 Sun 1:35-4:20-7:05 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:05
Dream House (PG) Fri 4:45-7:25-9:40 Sat 2-4:45-7:25-9:40 Sun 2-4:45-7:25 Mon-Thu 4:45-7:25
Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2 (PG) Fri 6:55 Sat 1:30-6:55 Sun 1:30-4:15 Mon-Thu 4:15
Our Idiot Brother (PG) Fri-Sat 7:25-9:30 Sun-Thu 7:25
The Smurfs (G) Fri 4:30 Sat-Sun 1:45-4:30 Mon-Thu 4:30
Spy Kids: All the Time in the World in 4D (PG) Fri 4:35 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:35 Mon-Thu 4:35
Straw Dogs (STC) Fri 4:25-7:15-9:45 Sat 1:40-4:25-7:15-9:45 Sun 1:40-4:25-7:15 Mon-Thu 4:25-7:15
Warrior (PG) Fri-Sat 7:10 Sun-Thu 7

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CLOVA
5732-176th St., Surrey, 604-541-9527

Apollo 18 (14A) Fri-Thu 9:05
Contagion (PG) Fri-Thu 7
Mr. Popper's Penguins (G) Sat-Sun 1:30

HOLLYWOOD 3 CINEMA
7125-138th Street, Surrey, 604-592-4441

Captain America: The First Avenger (PG) Fri-Thu 4:45
Colombiana (STC) Fri-Thu 8:45
Contagion (PG) Fri-Thu 6:55-9
Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2 (PG) Sat-Sun 12:45
Midnight in Paris (G) Fri-Thu 7:10
Mr. Popper's Penguins (G) Fri 5 Sat-Sun 3:10-5 Mon-Thu 5
Our Idiot Brother (PG) Fri 9 Sat-Sun 2:50-9 Mon-Thu 9
The Smurfs (G) Fri 4:45-6:45 Sat-Sun 12:45-2:45-4:45-6:45 Mon-Thu 4:45-6:45
Spy Kids: All the Time in the World in 4D (PG) Sat-Sun 1

STRAWBERRY HILL GRANDE
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Force (STC) No Passes Fri-Sun 12:30-3:35-6:50-10:10 No Passes Mon 12:45-3:45-6:50-10:10 No Passes Tue 12:30-3:35-6:50-10:10 No Passes Wed-Thu 12:45-3:45-6:50-10:10
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The Debt (14A) Fri-Thu 9
The Help (PG) Fri 7:30 Sat-Sun 2-7:30 Mon-Thu 7:30
Midnight in Paris (G) Fri 7 Sat-Sun 2:10-7 Mon-Thu 7

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Contagion (PG) Fri 7:20-9:30 Sat-Sun 2:20-7:20-9:30 Mon-Thu 7:20-9:30
Dolphin Tale (STC) Fri 7:10-9:25 Sat-Sun 2:10-7:10-9:25 Mon-Thu 7:10-9:25
Dream House (PG) Fri 7:30-9:40 Sat-Sun 2:30-7:30-9:40 Mon-Thu 7:30-9:40
Moneyball (PG) Fri 7-9:35 Sat-Sun 2-7-9:35 Mon-Thu 7-9:35

COLOSSUS LANGLEY
20090-91A Ave, Langley, 604-513-8747

50/50 (14A) Fri-Sun 1:30-4:25-7-9:45 Mon-Tue 4:25-7-9:45 Wed 7-9:45 Thu 4:25-7-9:45 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 3
Abduction (STC) Fri-Sun 1:15-4:25-7:15-9:55 Mon-Thu 4:25-7:15-9:55
Breakaway (PG) Fri-Sun 2:05-4:40-7:30-10 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:30-10
Contagion (PG) Fri-Thu 7:25-10:15
Contagion: The IMAX Experience (PG) Fri-Sun 1-4-7-9:45 Mon-Thu 4-7-9:45
Courageous (PG) Fri-Sun 1-4:10-7:10-10:10 Mon-Thu 4:10-7:10-10:10
Cowboys & Aliens (14A) Fri-Thu 9:40
Crazy, Stupid, Love. (PG) Fri-Sat 1:25-4:20-7-9:50 Sun 1:25-7-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:20-7-9:50
Dolphin Tale 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 1:10-4-6:55-9:50 Mon-Thu 4-6:55-9:50
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Still in the dark about his new role

- Michael Emerson moves on from Lost with gritty gig on Person of Interest
- Plays a presumed dead former-CIA agent who doles out vigilante justice

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Playing characters shrouded in mystery is becoming old hat for actor Michael Emerson, best known for his Emmy-winning turn as the inscrutable Ben Linus on Lost.

Now he's back in Person of Interest as Finch, a shadowy computer genius who sees the future.

Emerson ain't as lucky. Like the audience, he's not sure what future episodes will reveal about his new character.

"Once again, just like on Lost, I'm not sure where things are going," laughs Emerson.

"I'm just winging it, which I'm happy to do. It makes you anxious to read each script."

Emerson stars with Jim Caviezel in the fast-paced Person of Interest, which comes from the minds of writer Jonathan Nolan (The Dark Knight) and co-producer J.J. Abrams (Lost).

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MICHAEL EMERSON, ON HIS CHARACTER IN PERSON OF INTEREST

Part cop show/part sci-fi thriller, the series follows troubled CIA operative Reese (Caviezel) and the mysterious Finch as they attempt to solve murders — before they actually happen.

"They're a terrible odd couple. But they have to live through this series of hair-raising adventures," says Emerson, who sees very little of himself in Finch. So far.

"Well, I like to dress up and Finch is a smart dresser," he laughs. "Don't know enough about him yet."

Making the transition from Lost's beautiful Hawaiian backdrop to the decidedly grittier New York setting has been easy for Emerson, whose acting resumé includes stints on Broadway.

He refers to the change as switching from "my second favourite island to my favourite one".

"It's turned out to be fun. We've shot over all the five boroughs. It's been like an obscure tour of unknown New York City."

Emerson admits that, as much as he loved his experience on Lost, he wasn't exactly unhappy when the show finally wrapped in 2010 after six seasons. That attitude may be changing.

"At the time, I was glad Lost was over, and glad to get back to the mainland," he says.

"But recently I've been beginning to feel a little island nostalgia. I might be ready to go back."

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▶ Michael Emerson stars in Person of Interest, a crime thriller from J.J. Abrams.

TV picks

▶ Joshua Jackson

Getting inside a killer's head

FRINGE. The mind-bending universe of Fringe appears to get more complicated on Friday as the Fringe teams work together on a serial killing case.

The murderer "over there" is building an impressive body count, but the case takes an interesting turn after the murderer's alternate identity "over here," a forensic psychologist, is brought into the investigation.

This opens up the possibility of transporting civilians from one universe to the other. (Citytv)

Getting thrown for little loop

SARAH MICHELLE GELLAR. There are dual personas over on Ringer, as well on Friday, where Sarah Michelle Gellar tackles the roles of a pair of twins in peril. Things get tense between Bridget and Andrew after she uncovers some information about him. Meanwhile, Agent Machado looks for Bridget, and Henry and Gemma argue over an investment. (Global)

Prime Suspect, take two

HOMICIDE. The North American reboot of Prime Suspect airs as part of the jam-packed Thursday night lineup but gets a second life Saturdays for those who missed it or forgot to program their PVR.

In this episode, Jane helps with Duffy's homicide and kidnapping investigation and also meets Matt's little boy. (Global, NBC)

A closer look at Celine Dion

CANADIAN ICON. Celine: 3 Boys and a New Show promises to offer viewers an intimate look at Celine Dion's hectic life as she prepares to headline a new Las Vegas show while tending to her newborn twins.

The 90-minute special airing Sunday shows the legendary artist taking care of the babies, helping her eldest son with his homework and spending quality time with her husband, Rene.

All this unfolds while she works on launching her Caesar's Palace spectacle, Celine. (OWN)

Cups of tea, crumpets and different laws

JOLLY GOOD. Sunday on The Good Wife, Alicia must quickly learn English law when one of her cases is retried in Britain via satellite. (Global, CBS)

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Are we less OK with TV gay?

Study finds fewer gay characters on broadcast and cable scripted shows in the TV season ahead

The number of gay and bisexual characters on scripted broadcast network TV has dipped slightly this season to 19 out of nearly 650 roles, according to the Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation.

The 16th annual Where We Are on TV report released Wednesday by GLAAD found that 2.9 per cent of actors appearing regularly on prime-time network drama and comedy series in the 2011-12 season will portray gay, lesbian or bisexual characters.

That's down from three per cent in the 2009-10 season and 3.9 per cent last season, when there were 23 out of a total of nearly 600 roles.

The 2008-09 season saw an increased representation of 2.6 per cent.

Only five of the 19 gay and lesbian characters this season are nonwhite, GLAAD found.

Using information provided by ABC, CBS, Fox, NBC and CW, the group reviewed 91 scripted series announced to air this season.

Among broadcast series with gay and bisexual characters, GLAAD cited CBS' The Good Wife, the CW's Ringer and NBC's The Playboy Club.

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Fox leads the networks in gay representation, with eight regular characters out of a total of 117.

HBO leads

As it did last year, HBO has the greatest number of gay and bisexual characters, with 11 regular and recurring characters.

- **Showtime** is close behind with 10.
- **The HBO drama True Blood** remains among the most inclusive series on television, featuring six characters, tied with the Showtime series Shameless, according to the study.

Comedies include ABC's Modern Family and Fox's Glee.

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The number of gay and bisexual characters on cable networks has also fallen slightly, from 35 last season to 29 in the upcoming season.

Some of TV's most popular shows "weave story lines about gay and lesbian characters into the fabric of the show," said GLAAD acting President Mike Thompson.

"Americans expect to see the diversity of our country represented in their favourite programs, and that includes gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people."

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▶ Darren Criss, cast member on Fox's Glee.

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▶ Eric Stonestreet, left and Jesse Tyler Ferguson in a scene from Modern Family.

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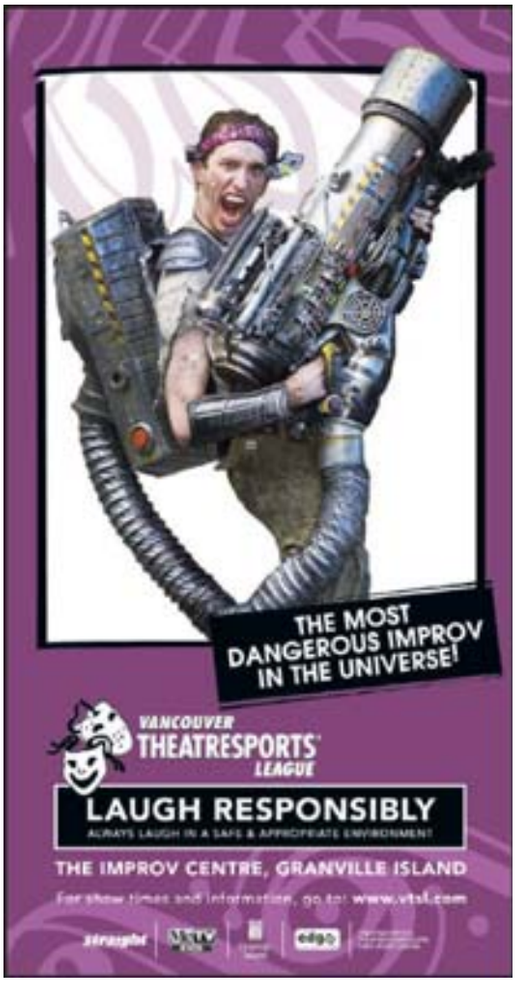
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Jagger gets off his cloud

Frontman takes a break from Stones and an artistic risk with all-star group

Mick Jagger and Eurythmics founder Dave Stewart acknowledge that they took a gamble when they decided to form their all-star band, SuperHeavy. They had no idea if all the group's members, which include soulful singer-songwriter Joss Stone, Oscar-winning composer A.R. Rahman and reggae singer Damian Marley, would even have chemistry.

"We were just making music and if we didn't like it, we wouldn't use it," Stewart said. "We just did it because we wanted to do an experiment, and that got developed and more and more developed until in the end, this record appeared."

The result is a 12-track, self-titled album with a sound the group's members say cannot be placed into any specific genre. Jagger's legend was formed with the Rolling Stones and other successful musical collaborations, but he says none of that can be compared to his experience with SuperHeavy.

"Every time you get into a room even with the same people, it is different because people come up with different things. It was a really interesting collaboration. To be honest it was easy. It was really easy because we got things straight away. You are very soon encouraged," he said.

Jagger, Stewart, Stone and Rahman recently sat down for an interview with The Associated Press.

What were you looking for in picking members of this group?

Jagger: One thing serious that we did think about, we didn't want people with loads of entourages and that would have too big of egos. ... It is very quickly how human beings sort of adjust to each other's temperaments and creativity. It is just like being in a cocktail party with a group of people. Either the cocktail party is going to go well or it doesn't. It depends on the vibe.

Rahman: I don't know why they called me, first of all. I thought maybe they wanted my piano playing or my keyboard, or a string arrangement.

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▶ A.R. Rahman, left, and Mick Jagger are members of the all-star ensemble SuperHeavy.

Musically, you were all pushed, working outside of your usual genres. Mick, you rapped?

Jagger: I was just copying Damian. I do a little bit. I went toasting, we call it, but it is the same thing (as rap).

Damian was doing this really good toasting, West Indian rapping, so I thought, "I could do that. It can't be that difficult." It actually was quite difficult. With a bit of practice, it is all right. It is a laugh.

Stone: It is funny. Sometimes listening to Damian talk would give me a melody. ... It helped when I couldn't come up with anything, I would just listen to Damian and have a little chat in the corner.

What was that first recording session like, getting all of these people together with different sounds from different backgrounds?

Stewart: What is unusual is having five writers who are songwriters, known for songwriting, all writing in the same room together at the same time. Writers are often known to be on their own, looking at the sea, out the window, with a pen or playing piano on their own. Then you have five people all staring at each other that are all used to writing songs, but that have to do it in front of each other now.

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TALKIN' NAMES

SOUND CHECK

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One of the most hideous tasks of being in a band is coming up with a name. Consider:

1. Everyone in the band has to be happy with it. Good luck with that. Many baby bands have broken up because they couldn't agree on what to call themselves. Finding that consensus is torturous.

2. It has to be catchy, easy to remember and easy to spell. Your name is your brand, so it has to be something that captures the essence of the group's sound and image without sounding too stupid or pretentious.

3. Can you get the domain name? Before the Internet, this never used to be a problem. But if you're going to have a proper online presence, you need a proper Internet address. Oasis had to make due with Oasisinet.com (notice the extra "i" because a dating site already had Oasis.com and wasn't about to give it up.)

4. It must lend itself to good graphic design. Hey, if you can't make a cool logo from it, then you're limiting your appeal. Nine Inch Nails, Linkin Park, Led Zeppelin and the lips-and-tongue logo of the Rolling Stones are all brilliant examples.

5. And, most importantly, it has to be unique and unused by anyone anywhere in the world currently or in the past.

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▶ Jack White of the Raconteurs. What do you think of that band name?

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DJ feeling good about new album

Producer collaborates with Usher Jennifer Hudson and Chris Brown

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▶ French DJ David Guetta poses for a photo at the Isle of MTV 2010 concert in Floriana, Malta.

David Guetta wasn't chasing a monster hit when he crafted songs like the Kelly Rowland-assisted When Love Takes Over and the Black Eyed Peas' I Gotta Feeling.

The French DJ-producer didn't feel much pressure to make the tracks international smashes — though that's what the songs went on to become.

Guetta's double album, Nothing But the Beat features one instrumental offering, and a second with top acts like Nicki Minaj, Usher, Jennifer Hudson, Chris Brown, Lil Wayne, will.i.am, Sia and others.

Was it hard to not feel pressure creating this album?
It's just that now it's different because I have a name, so when an artist comes to work with me, maybe they're thinking, 'This will be big.'

But even with Usher, for example, we've been trying to work together for a long time.

We had one or two sessions, and it was good, but not 'Wow. Amazing.' And we said, 'Let's wait till we have that 'wow' record.' And now we have this huge record that everyone thinks is one of the biggest records of my life and Usher was really excited about it.

Nicki Minaj appears on two songs. What was it like working with her?
Oh listen, I am so proud of her on Turn Me On. She's huge here and known for her rapping, but I don't think people thought she could deliver in terms of singing like on Turn Me On. It's crazy. She sounds amazing.

This is like top, top level singing. And when I worked with Jennifer Hudson, I was also taking her out of her box because it was like a very different style for her, but everybody knows that she has that huge voice. But I think for Nicki Minaj to show this — it's really big.

Did you work with her twice because the first session went so well?
Exactly. That's what happened: it went so well I was like, 'Wow.' I wanna work more with her, too, producing for her album. I think she's really amazing.

Was there anyone you didn't get a chance to work with?
Not really to be honest. I feel very lucky.

Do you sing or rap?
No (laughs). I'm really, really terrible. I don't have enough ears to be the perfect singer, but I have enough ears to know that I'm not good.

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Southern rock with breathing space

Don't compare them to The Kings of Leon or The Avett Brothers — NeedToBreathe has its own unique style

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▶ Members of the band NeedToBreathe (from left), Seth Bolt, Bo Rinehart, Bear Rinehart, and Joe Stillwell.

NeedToBreathe has a problem with preconceived notions.

The band is a brother act from the Carolinas known to favour the banjo — but they're not The Avett Brothers.

Bear and Bo Rinehart are the sons of a preacher who started playing music in church. But they're not The Kings of Leon.

The release of their fourth album, The Reckoning, should clear things up.

The album debuted at No. 6 on the all-genre Billboard 200 this week with 48,500 copies sold and is something of a mission statement for a group looking to make its mark on the wider consciousness.

They love Southern rock and want to be identified that way. They've been conscious of putting their own stamp on their latest album.

"We've always hated being pigeonholed in some way," Bear, 30, said.

"Mainly because we're worried about the future. We don't want to put a record out where people are expecting a certain thing, they get something else and they're not willing to go with us on the journey. That's the thing for us, trying to develop fans who believe in the band rather than the one song or the genre."

Comparisons weigh on the band and it was among the things foremost on their minds when they entered the studio. They considered every note, every instrument and every lyric as they crafted the 14 songs.

They put a great deal of pressure on themselves, hoping to make their own version of a classic album — something like Damn the Torpedoes by Tom Petty and the Heartbreakers or Rumours by Fleetwood Mac.

Those kind of expectations led to long hours in the studio and very familiar bickering.

"We still fight a tremendous amount, I would say," Bear said.

"We were fighting just before we came in here," the 29-year-old Bo joked.

"You're working with family — especially with me and Bo writing the songs. So it's an artistic thing and I think you'd get into an argument with anybody. But then you bring in the whole background of the family thing and all this history."

That history starts in Possum Kingdom, S.C.

By the age of 12 they were playing rock 'n' roll in their father's Assembly of God church, where they learned about amps and effects pedals.

"And it was cool," Bo said. "I say this a lot: You see a lot of bands that grow up in church or their dad's a preacher. It's not like you can play in a club when you're 12. Where else can you play music?"

They quickly began writing their own songs and eventually enlisted longtime friends Seth Bolt, 27, on bass and drummer John Stillwell, 31.

Currently, they're in the midst of a six-month tour opening for Taylor Swift

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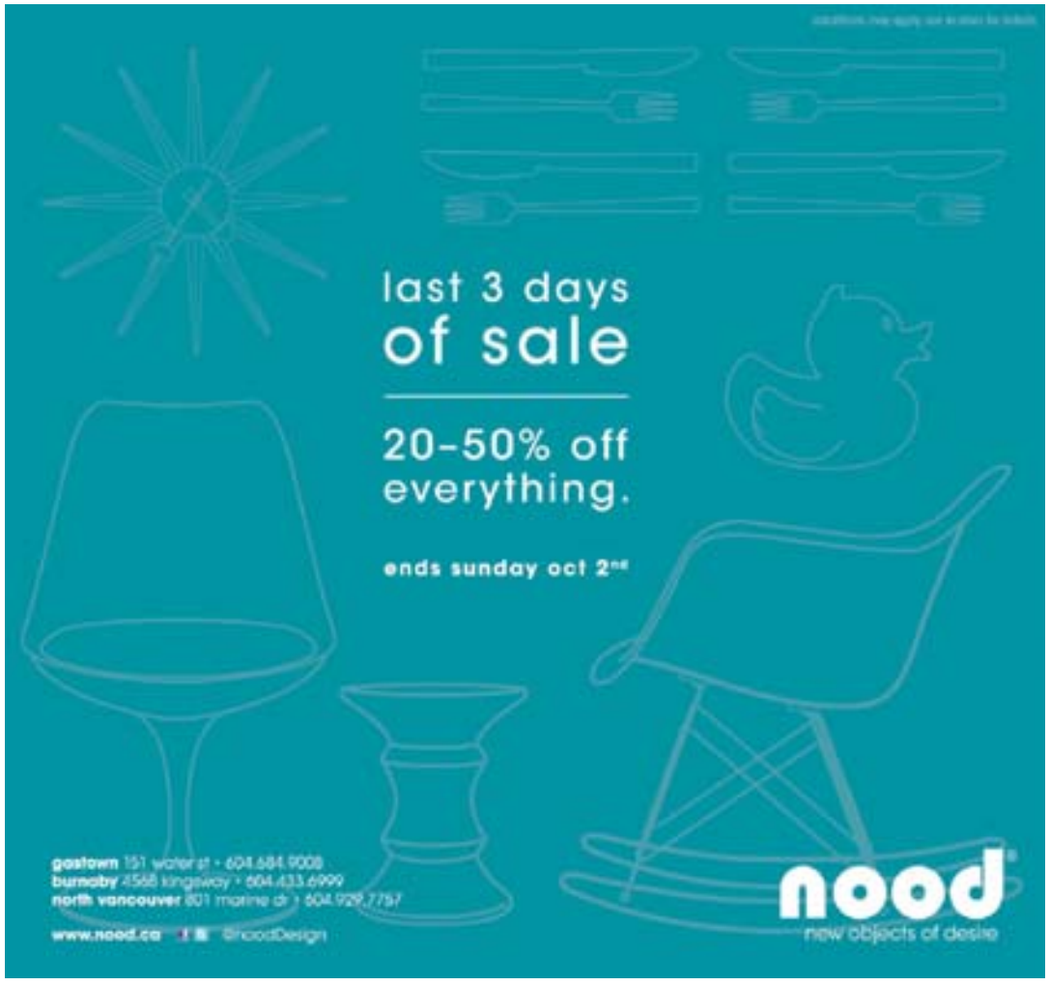

▶ Metro chats with Cam & Kadooh (left) from Canadian Rock band State of Shock.

Sounds Like. State of Shock

Dinner date — with whom and why?
Kadooh: Big Bird.
Cam: Humpty Dumpty. That'd be a great omelette. Or Colonel Sanders. I could go for some chicken.

What's your greatest fear?
Kadooh: Erectile dysfunction. I'm going with that.
Cam: Not a lot of fears, per se, 'cause everything's just kind of a risk in life, and I guess if you don't try it you're not gonna learn what not to do and what not to try. But I guess losing a loved one is my biggest fear.

What's your idea of a perfect day?
Cam: Somewhere on tour in front of a lot fans, playing a great show and having everyone singing back at you. Just having a good time — sitting back with the band and having some beers, probably poolside somewhere.

Where do you find inspiration?
Kadooh: Day-to-day life and people along the way.
Cam: Fans coming up to you after shows and saying that a particular song really meant something to them.

What's the last thing you say to yourself before a show?
Cam: Too late now!
Kadooh: Good luck.

Your last meal — what is it?
Cam: Chocolate. Everything chocolate. Chocolate cake, chocolate ice cream ... 'cause at that point, the intolerance doesn't matter.

To view Metro's interview with Cam & Kadooh, visit metronews.ca/scene

Is Demi headed back to real-life Cougar Town?

Reports say Demi Moore and Ashton Kutcher's marriage is almost done

The marriage between Demi Moore and Ashton Kutcher is reportedly all but over, with just a potential $290 million divorce battle standing in their way, according to Star magazine.

Kutcher's alleged frolicking in San Diego last weekend — during their sixth anniversary — was apparently the last straw.

"Ashton was a serial cheater, and Demi just couldn't take it anymore. She didn't deserve to live that way. It's a painful time for Demi," a source says.

"It was definitely a long time coming, but they're finally done for good."

And if the couple's recent trip to New York was any indication, the split has been in the works.

"As far as I know, Demi ended up staying at her place on the Upper West Side and Ashton was (at the hotel) by himself," a source says.

"It was obvious to everyone around them that things were completely over between them and that they are just putting on a show until they officially split." METRO

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▶ Ashton Kutcher and Demi Moore

Celebrity tweets

@TheRealRoseanne

for years i have been writing and encouraging americans to show up and put boots on the ground in DC & Wall Street. so happy 2cit!

@BetteMidler

Delegates to UN finally leaving town but they did a TON of shopping before they left. I saw Ahmadinejad at Macy's loading up on boy's basics

@SarahKSilverman

My hips lie

@margaretcho

considering shaving my head to tattoo underneath my hair. that's a good place right?

ScarJo still upset over photo leak

Scarlett Johansson is still fuming over the phone hacking that led to nude pictures of the Avengers star being leaked online.

"Just because you're an actor or make films or whatever, doesn't mean you're not entitled to your own personal privacy," she tells CNN.

"If that is sieged in some way, it feels unjust. It feels wrong."

Johansson isn't necessarily complaining about her fame, but she thinks there are limits.

"It's an adjustment, but I think there are certain instances where you give a lot of yourself and finally you have to kind of put your foot down and say, 'Oh wait, I'm taking it back,'" she says. METRO

Scarlett Johansson

Simpson's wedding 'up in the air,' says source

The November date of Jessica Simpson's planned wedding to Eric Johnson is reportedly in doubt, and while it's thought her rumoured pregnancy could be the reason, it's just as likely indecisiveness on the bride's part.

"Everything is up in the air," a source tells Us Weekly.

"She can't figure out what kind of day she wants. Some days she wants a big wedding in Hawaii, then other days she wants something closer to home." METRO

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▶ Jay-Z

Does Jay know what girls like?

Beyoncé admits that her pregnancy might be driving a wedge between her and husband Jay-Z — at least where his cologne is concerned.

"I smell everything," she tells ET Canada. "If it smells bad, I smell it. My husband's fragrance, his one that I always love, I hate right now."

And while the pop star claims to not know the sex of the baby, sources tell Us Weekly that the couple has already picked out some pink Louboutin baby booties — and a name.

"Jay told his sister to order a whole wardrobe of baby-girl clothes," a source tells Us Weekly. METRO

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- Cook 12 eggs at start of week to save time when you want a quick snack or to make a sandwich filling. You can keep hard-cooked eggs in the fridge for up to a week. THE CANADIAN PRESS/ EGG FARMERS OF ONTARIO

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Recreating Rioja's vibe

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If you love wine and have never been to Spain, you need to pack your corkscrew and go. I raved earlier this year after my first visit but, you know what, I just can't stop.

Wine to the Spaniards is like beer to us Canadians — especially in the country's most famous grape growing region of Rioja. You hit the town with your peeps, pick a local wine bar, have a glass of red along with a little tapas then move on the next spot and repeat.

You can recreate the vibe at home. The internet has dozens of sites dedicated to simple tapas recipes and well-made Rioja wines are easy to find.

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Just keep on crackin'

Scrambled, hard boiled or sunny side up – however you like your eggs, there are ways to make them more creative Kids will love these ideas

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Egg Salad Creatures

Make silly creatures or faces with a mound of egg salad and some imagination. Use whatever edibles you have growing in the garden or extras in the fridge to fashion sprout hair, olive eyes, pickle noses and maybe even a cucumber moustache.

Set out garnishes and let the kids get creative by making their own variations on the faces and body parts of the little creatures.

▶ Make two creatures with this recipe.

Creature Garnish

Here are decoration ideas for Egg Salad Creatures.

- **Hair**
  Grated or string cheese, grated carrots, sprouts or curly lettuce
- **Eyes**
  Olives, cucumber, pickle slices or raisins
- **Nose**
  Slice of gherkin, pickle, pieces of carrot
- **Mouth**
  Wedge of cherry tomato, carrot or celery stick
- **Ears**
  Sliced cucumber or tomato
- **Whiskers or antennae**
  Carrot or celery sticks or sweet pepper strips

Preparation:

1. Peel and finely chop hard-cooked eggs and place mixing bowl. Add mayonnaise, mustard, and salt; stir gently together until combined.
2. Mound egg salad in two round scoops on plates.
3. Using pieces of vegetables, cheese, olives, pickles, etc., make features or body parts, create silly creatures or faces. (To make creature and face in photo, use cucumber slices for ears or body scales; wedge of cherry tomato for mouth; pieces of carrot for whiskers or tail; piece of string cheese for hair; raisins and sliced gherkins or olives for eyes; and cherry tomato or piece of cucumber for nose.) Serve with crackers.

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Ingredients:

- 4 hard-cooked eggs, peeled
- 30 ml (2 tbsp) salad dressing
- 5 ml (1 tsp) prepared yellow mustard
- Salt, to taste
- 1 small cucumber, cut into 10 slices
- 2 cherry tomatoes
- 1 baby carrot, cut into thin matchstick pieces
- 1 piece (2.5 cm/1 inch) string cheese
- 2 raisins
- 2 slices gherkin or small pickle
- 2 slices olive

▶ This recipe makes one serving.

Egg Flowers

By slicing hard-cooked eggs and placing them on a platter in a circle to form a flower, adding some cucumber stems and a cherry tomato centre, you can make an edible garden.

Preparation:

1. Use egg slicer to cut hard-cooked eggs into even slices or let your child cut slices with a plastic knife.
2. Place slices on plate in a circle to form flowers.
3. Add sliced cucumber to create additional flower petals. Use string cheese, cucumber, cherry tomatoes or sweet peppers and veggie dip as flower centres.
4. Add celery sticks for flower stems and green pepper and broccoli for leaves. At base of flowers, place dollop of hummus and sprinkle with sprouts for grass.

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Ingredients:

- 2 hard-cooked eggs, peeled
- 1 small cucumber, cut into 10 slices
- 1 piece (2.5 cm/1 inch) string cheese
- 2 cherry tomatoes
- 5 ml (1 tsp) your favourite dressing or dip
- 1 piece (2.5 cm/1 inch) sweet pepper, cut into strips
- 1 piece (7.5 cm/3 inches) celery, cut into 3 strips
- 1 strip green pepper (7.5 cm/3 inches long and 2.5 cm/1 inch wide), cut into 2 leaf shapes
- 2 broccoli florets
- 10 ml (2 tsp) hummus
- 15 ml (1 tbsp) sprouts

Catches of the day

- Simple corn and pancetta salsa transforms sautéed bay scallops
- Grapefruit and Crab Salad uses Thai techniques to create side dish

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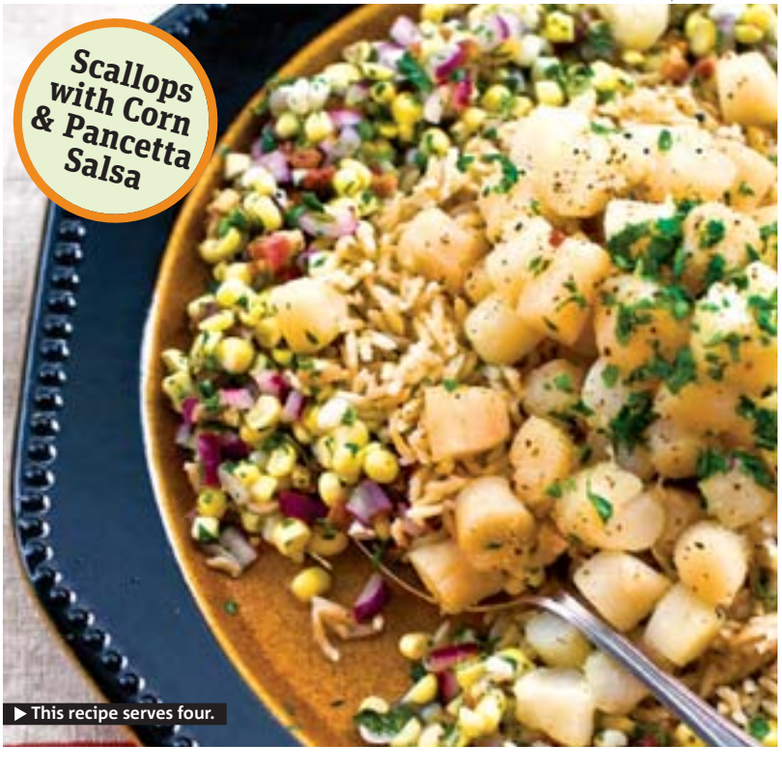

▶ This recipe serves four.

This simple and incredibly fast dinner is for those nights when you want something amazing but don't have the time or energy to be amazing in the kitchen.

In this recipe, the ingredients do all the work for you. Juicy bay scallops need nothing more than a quick trip in a very hot pan. Dressing them up calls for little more than browning some pancetta (buy the already chopped variety), then mixing in some fresh corn, onions and seasonings.

That's it. It's delicious, refreshing and beautiful enough to serve to company. And feel free to play with the salsa ingredients. Peeled and diced cucumbers, pineapple, even chopped fresh strawberries would be great. And yes, the corn is used raw. It's delicious that way.

Serve this over rice or buttered toast as an open-face sandwich.

Ingredients:

- 60 g (2 oz) chopped pancetta
- 1 small red onion, diced
- 7 ml (1/2 tbsp) jarred jalapeno slices, minced
- Juice of 1 lemon
- 50 ml (1/4 cup) choppe fresh cilantro
- 3 ears fresh corn, husks removed
- Salt and black pepper
- 1 kg (2 lb) bay scallops, patted dry

Preparation:

1. In skillet over medium-high, sauté pancetta until lightly browned, 6 to 8 minutes. Use a slotted spoon to transfer pancetta to a medium bowl. Stir in onion, jalapeno, lemon juice and cilantro. Remove corn kernels from cobs. To do this, stand each ear on its wide end, then saw down the length of the cob with a serrated knife.
2. Add corn kernels to salsa. Season with salt and pepper, then set aside.
3. Return skillet with pancetta drippings to medium-high heat. When pan is hot, add scallops and sauté for 3 to 4 minutes or until cooked through. Season scallops with salt and pepper, then serve with some of the corn salsa spooned over them.

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Grapefruit and Crab Salad

Ingredients:

- 80 ml (1/3 cup) lime juice
- 60 ml (1/4 cup) coconut milk
- 60 ml (1/4 cup) canola oil
- 20 ml (4 tsp) fish sauce
- 2 ml (1/2 tsp) minced dried Thai chilies
- 450 g (1 pound) drained jumbo lump crabmeat
- 125 ml (1/2 cup) chopped fresh cilantro
- 3 red grapefruit, sectioned

Preparation:

1. In a medium bowl, whisk lime juice, coconut milk, canola oil, fish sauce, chilies.
2. In a large bowl, combine the crabmeat, cilantro and dressing, tossing well. Add the grapefruit sections, then toss gently.

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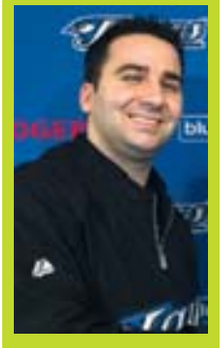

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Vancouver shark-bitten in shutout loss

Thomas Greiss stopped 25 shots and the San Jose Sharks remained unbeaten in preseason play, beating the Vancouver Canucks 3-0 on Thursday night. Joe Pavelski, Dan Boyle and Jamie McGinn scored for the Sharks (5-0), who beat the Canucks for the second time in a week.
The Canucks (2-5), who lost to the Anaheim Ducks on Wednesday night, again chose to keep many of their stars off the ice. Mikael Samuelsson and Manny Malhotra were the only Canucks to play who recorded double figures in goals last season. Vancouver goalie Cory Schneider recorded 33 saves.

Lions ready to roar in new digs

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The Edmonton Eskimos would love to spoil the party.

Beating the B.C. Lions in Friday's opening CFL game at the newly renovated BC Place Stadium would be a perfect way for the Eskimos to steer themselves back on course, says quarterback Ricky Ray.

"We have one goal here," Ray said Thursday after the Eskimos became the first team to drop their gear in the new visitors dressing room. "It's not to come and check out the new stadium and see how the roof opens and closes.

"Our goal is to come here and win."

Outspoken Lions nickel back Korey Banks said it makes sense that the Eskimos want to play spoiler.

"We are the underdogs," Banks said with a straight face. "We are only 6-6.

"It's going to be an upset if we beat them. We're not the team to beat."

The Lions and Eskimos are teams headed in opposite directions.

B.C. started the season 0-5 but have won five straight games and six of their last seven to improve to 6-6.

A stifling Lions defence has allowed no touchdowns in four of the last five games and the offence has outscored the opposition 208-88 over the last seven matches.

Quarterback Travis Lulay said the Lions have lost the element of surprise.

"I don't think we can sneak up on anybody," said Lulay, who has thrown for 1,404 yards in his last five games.

"Teams are aware of what we've done lately. We expect a great effort from these guys. It's a game that is as important to them as it is to us. They don't really care we are in a new stadium."

The Eskimos were the talk of the league when they started the season 5-0 but since then have been 2-5. They were beaten 36-1 at Commonwealth Stadium the last time they played B.C.

"We've gone through our ups and downs," said Ray. "We have been a little inconsistent.

Edmonton starts the weekend tied with Calgary for first place in the West with a 7-5 record. By Sunday the Eskimos could slip to third.

A Lions win combined with a Calgary loss to Saskatchewan on Saturday would leave B.C. with a share of first place.

Shot at history

- Lions placekicker Paul McCallum has a chance to write some history.
- McCallum has been successful on 26 consecutive field goals.
- He needs three more to break the CFL record of 28 in a row set by Dave Ridgway of the Saskatchewan Roughriders in 1993.

Over 40,000 tickets have been sold for the first game at the newly renovated stadium. Sarah McLachlan, the Juno and Grammy award-winning performer, will sing the national anthem prior to the game.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

FINAL STANDINGS

EAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-New York	97	65	.599	—
y-Tampa Bay	91	71	.562	6
Boston	90	72	.556	7
Toronto	**81**	**81**	**.500**	**16**
Baltimore	69	93	.426	28

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Detroit	95	67	.586	—
Cleveland	80	82	.494	15
Chicago	79	83	.488	16
Kansas City	71	91	.438	24
Minnesota	63	99	.389	32

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Texas	96	66	.593	—
Los Angeles	86	76	.531	10
Oakland	74	88	.457	22
Seattle	67	95	.414	29

x — clinched division

Wednesday's results
Toronto 3 Chicago White Sox 2
Baltimore 4 Boston 3
Tampa Bay 8 N.Y. Yankees 7 (12 inn.)
Minnesota 1 Kansas City 0
Oakland 2 Seattle 0
Texas 3 L.A. Angels 1
Detroit 5 Cleveland 4

FINAL AL LEADERS

Runs — Granderson, NY, 136; Kinsler, Texas, 121; Ellsbury, Bos., 119; MiCabrera, Det., 111; AdGonzalez, Bos., 108; **Bautista, Toronto, 105.**
RBI — Granderson, NY, 119; Cano, NY, 118; AdGonzalez, Bos., 117; Teixeira, NY, 111; MiYoung, Tex., 106.
Hits — AdGonzalez, Bos., 213; MiYoung, Tex., 213; Ellsbury, Bos., 212; MeCabrera, KC, 201; MiCabrera, Det., 197; Pedroia, Bos.ton, 195; Cano, New York, 188.
Doubles — MiCabrera, Detroit, 48; Francoeur, Kansas City, 47; Cano, New York, 46; Ellsbury, Boston, 46; Zobrist, Tampa Bay, 46; AdGonzalez, Boston, 45; AGordon, Kansas City, 45.
Triples — Bourjos, Los Angeles, 11; AJackson, Detroit, 11; Granderson, New York, 10; Aybar, Los Angeles, 8; AEscobar, Kansas City, 8; Gardner, New York, 8; JWeeks, Oakland, 8.
Home Runs — **Bautista, Toronto, 43;** Granderson, New York, 41; Teixeira, New York, 39; MarReynolds, Baltimore, 37; Beltre, Texas, 32; Ellsbury, Boston, 32; Kinsler, Texas, 32.
Stolen Bases — Crisp, Oakland, 49; Gardner, New York, 49; ISuzuki, Seattle, 40; Ellsbury, Boston, 39; Andrus, Texas, 37; BUpton, Tampa Bay, 36; **RDavis, Toronto, 34;** Revere, Minnesota, 34.
Pitching — Verlander, Detroit, 24-5; Sabathia, New York, 19-8; Weaver, Los Angeles, 18-8; Nova, New York, 16-4; DHolland, Texas, 16-5; CWilson, Texas, 16-7; Haren, Los Angeles, 16-10; Shields, Tampa Bay, 16-12; GGonzalez, Oakland, 16-12.
Strikeouts — Verlander, Detroit, 250; Sabathia, New York, 230; Shields, Tampa Bay, 225; FHernandez, Seattle, 222; Price, Tampa Bay, 218; CWilson, Texas, 206; **Morrow, Toronto, 203.**
Saves — Valverde, Detroit, 49; MaRivera, New York, 44; League, Seattle, 37; CPerez, Cleveland, 36; Feliz, Texas, 32; Walden, Los Angeles, 32; Papelbon, Boston, 31.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

FINAL STANDINGS

EAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Philadelphia	102	60	.630	—
Atlanta	89	73	.549	13
Washington	80	81	.497	21½
New York	77	85	.475	25
Florida	72	90	.444	30

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Milwaukee	96	66	.593	—
y-St. Louis	90	72	.556	6
Cincinnati	79	83	.488	17
Pittsburgh	72	90	.444	24
Chicago	71	91	.438	25
Houston	56	106	.346	40

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Arizona	94	68	.580	—
San Francisco	86	76	.531	8
Los Angeles	82	79	.509	11½
Colorado	73	89	.451	21
San Diego	71	91	.438	23

y — clinched wildcard berth

Wednesday's results
St. Louis 8 Houston 0
Philadelphia 4 Atlanta 3 (13 inn.)
San Diego 9 Chicago Cubs 2
Colorado 6 San Francisco 3
Washington 3 Florida 1
N.Y. Mets 3 Cincinnati 0
Milwaukee 7 Pittsburgh 3
L.A. Dodgers 7 Arizona 5

FINAL NL LEADERS

Runs — Kemp, LA, 115; Braun, Milwaukee, 109; Pujols, StL, 105; JUpton, Arizona, 105; JosReyes, NY, 101; Votto, Cincinnati, 101; Fielder, Mil., 95; Victorino, Philadelphia, 95.
RBI — Kemp, LA, 126; Fielder, Milwaukee, 120; Howard, Philadelphia, 116; Braun, Milwaukee, 111; Tulowitzki, Colorado, 105; Votto, Cincinnati, 103; Pujols, St. Louis, 99.
Hits — SCastro, Chicago, 207; Kemp, Los Angeles, 195; Bourn, Atlanta, 193; Pence, Philadelphia, 190; Braun, Milwaukee, 187; Votto, Cincinnati, 185; BPhillips, Cincinnati, 183.
Doubles — Votto, Cin., 40; Beltran, San Francisco, 39; JUpton, Arz., 39; Braun, Milwaukee, 38; CaLee, Hou., 38; Pence, Philadelphia, 38; BPhillips, Cin., 38; CYoung, Arizona, 38.
Triples — JosReyes, NY, 16; Victorino, Phi., 16; Fowler, Col., 15; Bourn, Atlanta, 10; SCastro, Chi., 9; SSmith, Col., 9; Infante, Florida, 8; Maybin, SD, 8; Parra, Arizona, 8.
Home Runs — Kemp, Los Angeles, 39; Fielder, Milwaukee, 38; Pujols, St. Louis, 37; Uggla, Atlanta, 36; Stanton, Florida, 34; Braun, Milwaukee, 33; Howard, Philadelphia, 33.
Stolen Bases — Bourn, Atlanta, 61; Bonifacio, Florida, 40; Kemp, Los Angeles, 40; Maybin, San Diego, 40; Stubbs, Cincinnati, 40; JosReyes, New York, 39; Braun, Milwaukee, 33.
Pitching — IKennedy, Arizona, 21-4; Kershaw, LA, 21-5; Halladay, Philadelphia, 19-6; ClLee, Philadelphia, 17-8; Gallardo, Milwaukee, 17-10; Greinke, Milwaukee, 16-6; THudson, Atlanta, 16-10; DHudson, Arizona, 16-12.
Strikeouts — Kershaw, LA, 248; ClLee, Phi., 238; Halladay, Phi., 220; Lincecum, SF, 220; Gallardo, Mil., 207; AniSanchez, Fla., 202; Greinke, Mil., 201.
Saves — Axford, Mil., 46; Kimbrel, Atl., 46; Putz, Arz., 45; HBell, SD, 43; Storen, Washington, 43; Hanrahan, Pittsburgh, 40; Cordero, Cincinnati, 37.

MLB PLAYOFFS

DIVISION SERIES

All times Eastern
(Best-of-5)

AMERICAN LEAGUE

N.Y. YANKEES vs. DETROIT
Tonight's game
Detroit (Verlander 24-5) at N.Y. Yankees (Sabathia 19-8), 8:37 p.m.
Tomorrow's game
Detroit (Fister 11-13) at N.Y. Yankees (Nova 16-4), 8:37 p.m.
Monday's game
N.Y. Yankees (F.Garcia 12-8) at Detroit, 8:37 p.m.
Tuesday's game
x-N.Y. Yankees at Detroit, TBA
TEXAS vs. TAMPA BAY
Today's game
Tampa Bay (Moore 1-0) at Texas (C.Wilson 16-7), 5:07 p.m.
Tomorrow's game
Tampa Bay (Shields 16-12) at Texas (D.Holland 16-5), 7:07 p.m.
Monday's game
Texas at Tampa Bay, 5:07 p.m.
Tuesday's game
x-Texas at Tampa Bay, TBA

NATIONAL LEAGUE

PHILADELPHIA vs. ST. LOUIS
Tomorrow's game
St. Louis (Lohse 14-8) at Philadelphia (Halladay 19-6), 5:07 p.m.
Sunday's game
St. Louis (J.Garcia 13-7) at Philadelphia (Lee 17-8), 8:07 p.m.
Tuesday's game
Philadelphia at St. Louis, TBA
Wednesday, Oct. 5
x-Philadelphia at St. Louis, TBA
MILWAUKEE vs. ARIZONA
Tomorrow's game
Arizona (I.Kennedy 21-4) at Milwaukee (Gallardo 17-10), 2:07 p.m.
Sunday's game
Arizona (D.Hudson 16-12) at Milwaukee (Marcum 13-7), 4:37 p.m.
Tuesday's game
Milwaukee at Arizona, TBA
Wednesday, Oct. 5
x-Milwaukee at Arizona, TBA
x — played only if necessary.

CFL

EAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pt
Winnipeg	12	8	4	0	291	277	16
Montreal	12	7	5	0	374	297	14
Hamilton	12	6	6	0	351	344	12
Toronto	12	3	9	0	251	344	6

WEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pt
Edmonton	12	7	5	0	288	284	14
Calgary	12	7	5	0	324	345	14
B.C.	12	6	6	0	334	249	12
Saskatchewan	12	4	8	0	272	345	8

WEEK 14
All times Eastern
Tonight's games
Montreal at Winnipeg, 7:30 p.m.
Edmonton at B.C., 10:30 p.m.
Tomorrow's games
Saskatchewan at Calgary, 4 p.m.
Hamilton at Toronto, 7 p.m.

FINAL BLUE JAYS STATISTICS

BATTERS	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	AVG
Bautista	513	105	155	43	103	.302
Lawrie	150	26	44	9	25	.293
Escobar	513	77	149	11	48	.290
Molina	171	19	48	3	15	.281
Encarnacion	481	70	131	17	55	.272
Johnson	115	16	31	3	9	.270
Thames	362	58	95	12	37	.262
Lind	499	56	125	26	87	.251
Davis	320	44	76	1	29	.238
Arencibia	443	47	97	23	78	.219
Cooper	71	9	15	2	12	.211
Teahen	160	14	32	4	14	.200
McCoy	197	26	39	2	10	.198
Loewen	32	4	6	1	4	.188
Rasmus	133	14	23	3	13	.173
Wise	32	4	4	2	2	.125
Woodward	10	3	0	0	0	.000

PITCHERS	W	L	SV	IP	SO	ERA
McCoy	0	0	0	1.0	0	0.00
Beck	0	0	0	2.1	3	0.00
Carreno	1	0	0	15.2	14	1.15
Janssen	6	0	2	55.2	53	2.26
Romero	15	11	0	225.0	178	2.92
Alvarez	1	3	0	63.2	40	3.53
Francisco	1	4	17	50.2	53	3.55
Villanueva	6	4	0	107.0	68	4.04
Camp	6	3	1	66.1	32	4.21
Litsch	6	3	1	75.0	66	4.44
Morrow	11	11	0	179.1	203	4.72
Cecil	4	11	0	123.2	87	4.73
Rauch	5	4	11	52.0	36	4.85
Perez	3	3	0	65.0	54	5.12
Drabek	4	5	0	78.2	51	6.06
McGowan	0	2	0	21.0	20	6.43
Lewis	0	0	0	5.0	5	9.00
Mills	1	2	0	18.1	18	9.82
Farquhar	0	0	0	2.0	1	13.50

SOCCER

MLS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pt
Kansas City	31	11	9	11	46	39	44
Philadelphia	30	10	7	13	40	33	43
Houston	31	10	9	12	39	39	42
Columbus	31	11	12	8	36	40	41
New York	30	8	7	15	46	41	39
D.C. United	29	9	9	11	45	44	38
Chicago	30	7	8	15	39	39	36
Toronto	31	6	13	12	32	55	30
New England	30	5	13	12	34	49	27

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pt
x-Los Angeles	30	17	3	10	44	22	61
Seattle	30	15	6	9	49	32	54
Salt Lake	30	15	9	6	42	30	51
Dallas	30	13	10	7	36	33	46
Colorado	31	10	9	12	41	40	42
Portland	30	10	13	7	37	44	37
Chivas USA	31	8	12	11	39	38	35
San Jose	30	6	11	13	32	39	31
Vancouver	29	4	15	10	29	49	22

x — clinched playoff berth.
Note: Three points for a win, one for a tie.
Last night's result
Philadelphia 3 D.C. United 2
Wednesday's results
Kansas City 2 Columbus 1
Chicago 3 Salt Lake 0
Tomorrow's games
All times Eastern
Chicago at Houston, 4 p.m.
Seattle at New England, 7:30 p.m.
New York at Toronto, 7:30 p.m.
FC Dallas at Colorado, 9 p.m.
Salt Lake at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m.
Kansas City at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.

NHL

PRE-SEASON

Last night's results
Calgary 4 Phoenix 2
Ottawa 2 Boston 1
San Jose 3 Vancouver 0
Tampa Bay 4 Montreal 0
Columbus 4 Minnesota 2
Dallas 7 Florida 1
Philadelphia 2 New Jersey 1
St. Louis 3 Colorado 1
Wednesday's results
Anaheim 3 Vancouver 2
Chicago 4 Detroit 3
Winnipeg 3 Carolina 1
Nashville 4 Washington 1
Los Angeles 6 Colorado 0
Today's games
All times Eastern
N.Y. Rangers vs. Frolunda (at Gothenburg, Sweden), 1 p.m.
Buffalo at Washington, 7 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at New Jersey, 7 p.m.
Columbus at Carolina, 7 p.m.
Toronto at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
Edmonton at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
Nashville at Winnipeg, 8:30 p.m.
Los Angeles at Anaheim, 10 p.m.

TENNIS

ATP

PTT THAILAND OPEN

At Bangkok, Thailand
Singles — Second Round
Andy Murray (1), Britain, def. Michael Berrer, Germany, 6-4, 6-2.
Gael Monfils (2), France, def. Santiago Giraldo, Colombia, 6-4, 4-6, 6-1.
Donald Young, U.S., def. Guillermo Garcia-Lopez (4), Spain, 6-1, 6-7 (0), 7-5.
Go Soeda, Japan, def. Tobias Kamke, Germany, 6-2, 7-6 (7).
Grigor Dimitrov, Bulgaria, def. Simone Bolelli, Italy, 7-6 (8), 6-1.

MALAYSIAN OPEN

At Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Singles — Second Round
Nicolas Almagro (1), Spain, def. Albert Ramos, Spain, 7-6 (2), 7-6 (4).
Viktor Troicki (2), Serbia, def. Denis Istomin, Uzbekistan, 6-1, 6-4.
Janko Tipsarevic (3), Serbia, def. Flavio Cipolla, Italy, 6-2, 6-4.
Nikolay Davydenko (5), Russia, def. Lukasz Kubot, Poland, 6-3, 7-6(2).
Kei Nishikori (8), Japan, def. Philipp Petzschner, Germany, 6-3, 4-6, 7-5.

WTA

TORAY PAN PACIFIC OPEN

At Tokyo
Singles — Quarter-finals
Petra Kvitova (5), Czech Republic, def. Maria Sharapova (2), Russia, 4-3 (retired).
Victoria Azarenka (3), Belarus, def. Marion Bartoli (7), France, 7-5, 6-0.
Vera Zvonareva Russia (4), def. Maria Kirilenko, Russia, 6-3, 6-3.
Agnieszka Radwanska (9), Poland, def. Kaia Kanepi, Estonia, 6-2, 7-6 (7).

NFL

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

EAST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Buffalo	3	0	0	1.000	113	73
New England	2	1	0	.667	104	79
N.Y. Jets	2	1	0	.667	83	61
Miami	0	3	0	.000	53	78

SOUTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Houston	2	1	0	.667	90	60
Tennessee	2	1	0	.667	57	43
Jacksonville	1	2	0	.333	29	62
Indianapolis	0	3	0	.000	46	84

NORTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	2	1	0	.667	85	40
Cleveland	2	1	0	.667	61	62
Pittsburgh	2	1	0	.667	54	55
Cincinnati	1	2	0	.333	57	54

WEST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Oakland	2	1	0	.667	92	82
San Diego	2	1	0	.667	65	69
Denver	1	2	0	.333	58	62
Kansas City	0	3	0	.000	27	109

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

EAST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Dallas	2	1	0	.667	69	67
Washington	2	1	0	.667	66	53
N.Y. Giants	2	1	0	.667	71	60
Philadelphia	1	2	0	.333	78	77

SOUTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Tampa Bay	2	1	0	.667	60	60
New Orleans	2	1	0	.667	104	88
Carolina	1	2	0	.333	60	68
Atlanta	1	2	0	.333	60	77

NORTH

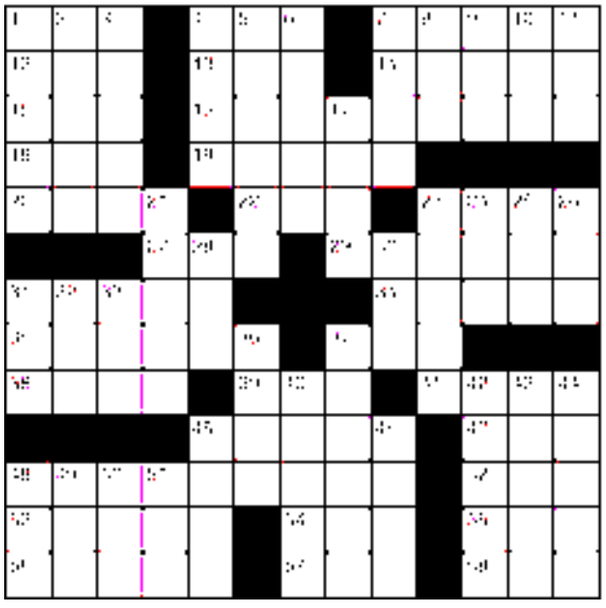
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Green Bay	3	0	0	1.000	99	74
Detroit	3	0	0	1.000	101	46
Chicago	1	2	0	.333	60	69
Minnesota	0	3	0	.000	60	74

WEST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
San Francisco	2	1	0	.667	70	52
Seattle	1	2	0	.333	30	67
Arizona	1	2	0	.333	59	56
St. Louis	0	3	0	.000	36	96

WEEK 3
All times Eastern
Sunday's games
Detroit at Dallas, 1 p.m.
Washington at St. Louis, 1 p.m.
Minnesota at Kansas City, 1 p.m.
Carolina at Chicago, 1 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Houston, 1 p.m.
New Orleans at Jacksonville, 1 p.m.
San Francisco at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.
Tennessee at Cleveland, 1 p.m.
Buffalo at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
N.Y. Giants at Arizona, 4:05 p.m.
Atlanta at Seattle, 4:05 p.m.
Miami at San Diego, 4:15 p.m.
New England at Oakland, 4:15 p.m.
Denver at Green Bay, 4:15 p.m.
N.Y. Jets at Baltimore, 8:20 p.m.
Monday, Oct. 3
Indianapolis at Tampa Bay, 8:30 p.m.

Crossword



Across

1 Vanna's cohort
4 Chance
7 Eucalyptus eater
12 UN workers' agcy.
13 Geological period
14 "The Age of Anxiety" poet
15 Back talk
16 Ice cream type
18 "The — Daba Honeymoon"
19 Good, in Guadalajara
20 Effervescence
22 "No seats"
23 Instrument of Marxism?
27 Anger
29 Hot dog
31 Popeye's burger-eating pal
34 City boss
35 Skipped a big wedding
37 Stick out
38 Ticklish Muppet
39 Acapulco gold
41 Go nowhere
45 Speak sheepishly?
47 Coloration
48 Movie cowboy who voiced Mister Ed
52 Grecian vessel
53 Anticipate
54 "CSI" evidence
55 Wrestling surface
56 Tubular pasta
57 Sweet potato
58 Shell game need

Down

1 Rice recipe
2 Suspect's excuse
3 November birthstone
4 KFC additive
5 Stir up
6 Indiana basketballer
7 Deck in the ring
8 "— Town"
9 Big fuss
10 Meadow
11 Moreover
17 Recognize
21 Lighter brand
23 Preliminary matches
24 Whatever number
25 Carnival city
26 For one
28 Catcher's place?
30 Ostrich's cousin
31 Infinitesimal
32 Under the weather
33 Oft-tattooed word
36 Barbie, e.g.
37 Cassidy or Kerns
40 Prepared
42 Blunt blow
43 Emanations
44 Busybody
45 Computer memory unit
46 Side
48 Eminem's genre
49 Have bills
50 Tuna container
51 Family

▶ Yesterday's answer

Sudoku

5		4		2				
			6				9	
	8			1		7		
7		1	2		8	5		
	6						8	
		8	7		4	6		2
		3		5			7	
	2				9			
				8		3		4

How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

Yesterday's answer ▶

5	1	7	6	2	8	3	9	4
9	6	2	3	5	4	1	8	7
8	3	4	7	9	1	5	6	2
6	5	1	4	3	9	2	7	8
3	2	8	1	7	6	9	4	5
7	4	9	5	8	2	6	1	3
2	8	3	9	6	7	4	5	1
4	7	6	2	1	5	8	3	9
1	9	5	8	4	3	7	2	6

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Babe we've had alot of moments, good and not so good but I wouldn't change any of it because you were always by my side. You mean the world to me you GOOSE. I dont know whats in store for us but know that I'll always stand by you through thick and thin. Your more than enough for me, I LOVE YOU Emmzy <3
YOUR FROGFEET

My Sunshine, Love you n miss you so much. You are my smile, my joy, my life n my everything..can't live without u hon. **S**

Floppy, Happy 5 month anniversary, baby! Being with you is absolutely incredible, it's like we were meant to be together. You're sweet, funny, cute, caring, handsome and so much more. You're perfect. And I'm perfect for you. I love you so much!
BGE

Today's horoscope

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♈ Aries March 21-April 20 You won't find it hard to persuade those you live and work with to see things your way today.

♉ Taurus April 21-May 21 You must be careful today about taking on new duties and responsibilities.

♊ Gemini May 22-June 21 This is by any standards one of the very best times of the year for you. Be first and be the best.

♋ Cancer June 22-July 22 The problem you'll be confronted with today is one you've dealt with before. Learn from the past.

♌ Leo July 23-Aug.23 Today's Sun-Mars link could herald the start of a new and exciting phase romantically. Be passionate!

♍ Virgo Aug. 24- Sept. 22 You seem to have a secret admirer. This can be turned to your advantage.

♎ Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 The challenges ahead of you may be daunting but you will come through them all with ease.

♏ Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 Today, you will be happier working behind the scenes than getting up in front of lots of people.

♐ Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21 Get together with people who share your aims and ideals to start putting your big ideas into action.

♑ Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20 The more you assert yourself, the more others will assume it is the natural way of things.

♒ Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18 Today, at home and at work, you will shine like never before.

♓ Pisces Feb. 19-March 20. You may be tempted to own up to an indiscretion, but is it the best decision? **SALLY BROMPTON**

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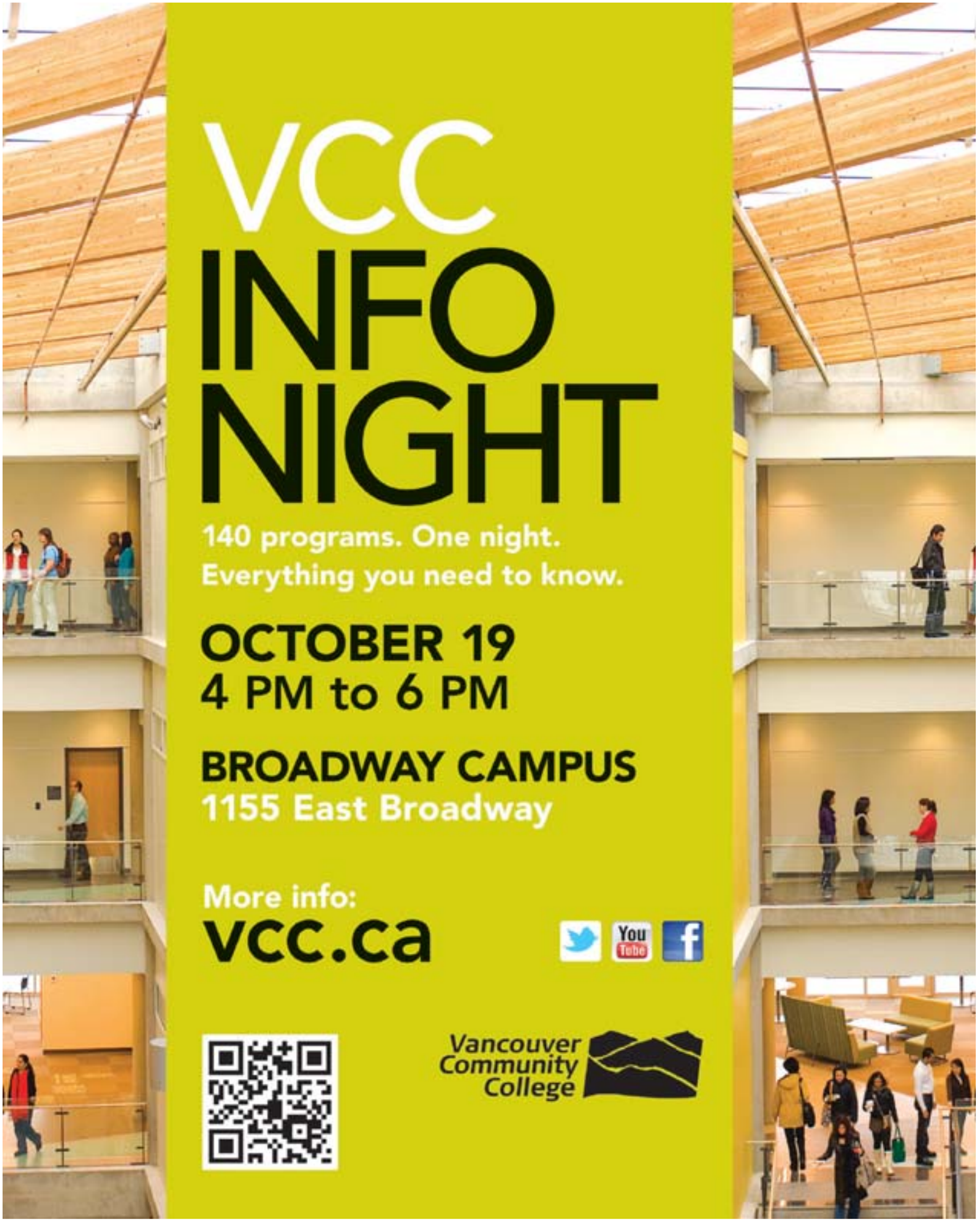
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